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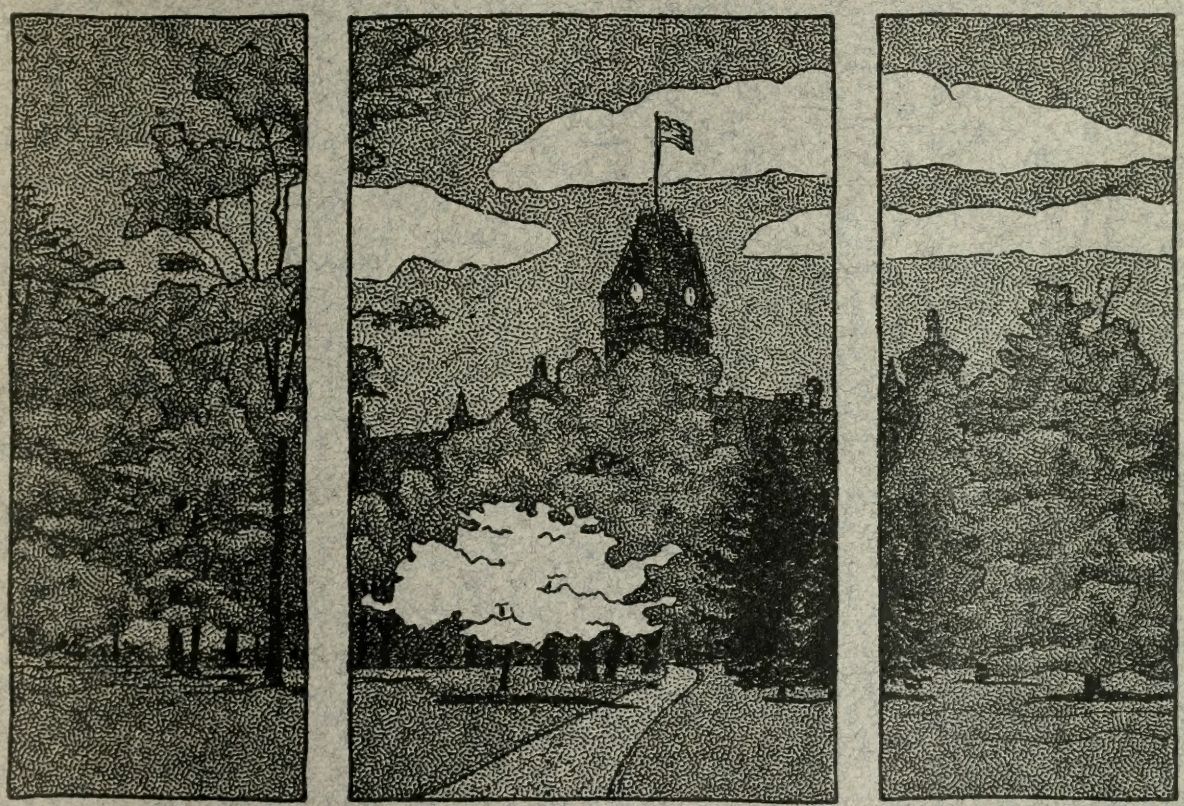

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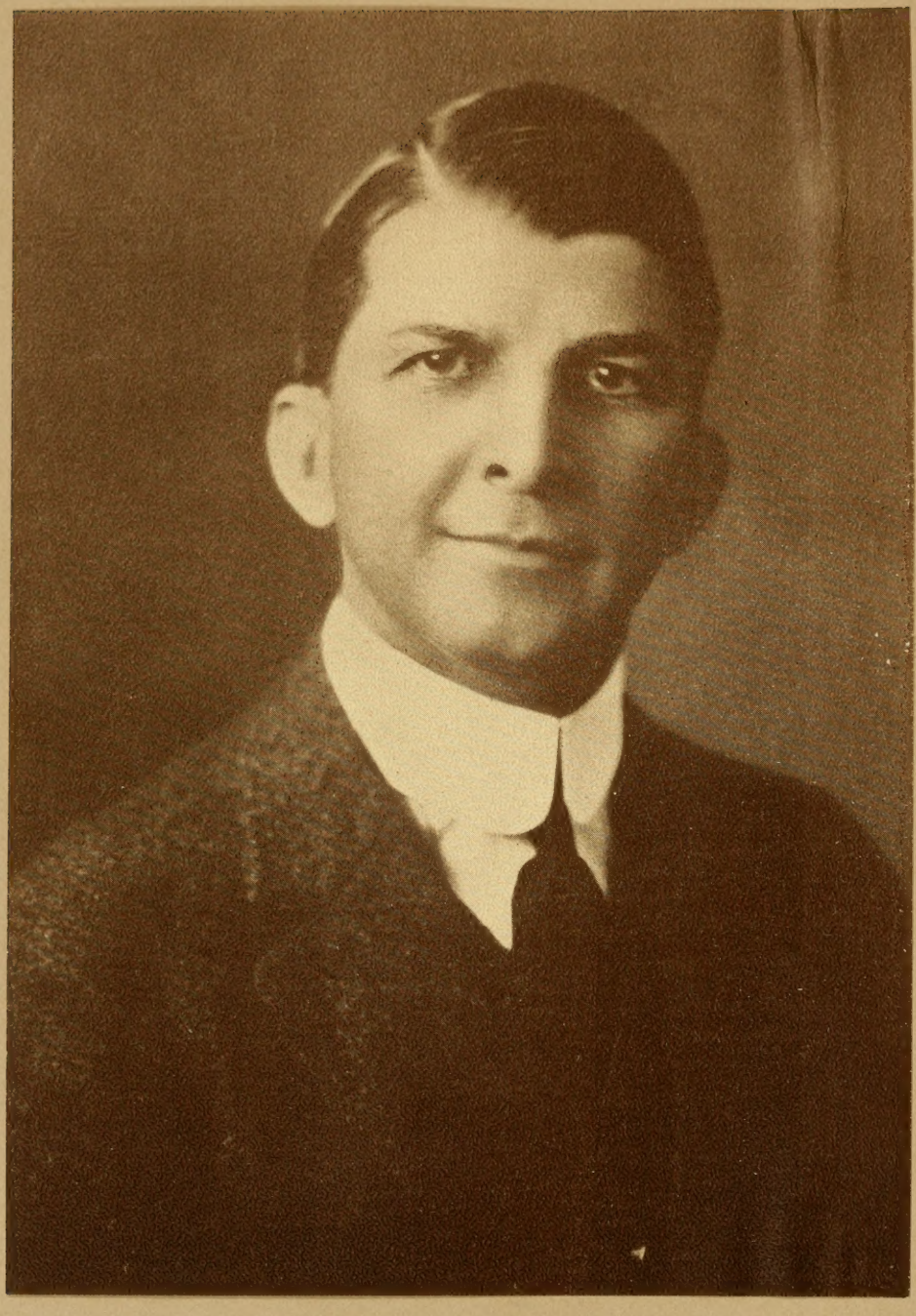

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The Year's Program for Ohio State

HALBERT E. PAYNE, '87
President Ohio State University Association

NEXT Commencement when the fortieth anniversary parade is formed I hope to report to President Thompson: All classes present *and* accounted for.

THE UNIVERSITY CATALOGUE, Register and "Who's Who" contain the names of over seven thousand educated men and women. These constitute what we may term the Greater University of Ohio. It is the ambition of our Association to co-operate with the trustees, faculty, students, graduates and ex-students in formulating a plan to use to the best possible advantage this great force for the advancement of the interests of the University, the members of the Association and for the benefit of the state and the country.

This indeed sounds ambitious, but the possibilities of accomplishment of such a body of men and women properly organized and working enthusiastically and harmoniously certainly appeal to the imagination, and if the alumni of all the universities of this country were so organized and gave their best efforts to the solution of the problems now before this country, would it not be possible to aid greatly in their final solution? This, of course, is a dream of the future.

As for our own Association, the first step is to weld all the elements into a smooth working organization, capable of using to the best possible advantage all the resources at its command. To this end, it is vital that we have definite plans which will appeal to everyone with sufficient force to enlist their active support of the Association. It is difficult to interest a busy man in an organization which meets but once a year, especially if he cannot attend that meeting, and if the only communication he receives from the Association is a yearly request for dues.

Within the past two years there has been a great awakening, thanks to the strenuous efforts of a number of our older alumni. We now have an organization consisting of over eighteen hundred men and women, over nine hundred of whom contributed liberally to a fund to cover the expense of reorganization and the employment of a salaried secretary, who now devotes his entire energy to the interest of the Association. There are approximately six thousand alumni and ex-students eligible to membership and I sincerely hope that the following plans will prove sufficiently interesting to them to enlist their enthusiastic support as members of the Association.

It is universally agreed that it is most important that the alumni should, without further delay, show in a suitable manner their appreciation of the University by building a system of dormitories. The plan of issuing and selling bonds to the alumni for the purpose of building a quadrangle on the campus has been endorsed by the trustees, the attorney gen-

eral of the state and the faculty, and on the plan which has been formulated about $25,000 has been pledged. Professor J. N. Bradford of the University is now perfecting the plans, details of which will be announced later. There is no question but what this is the most needed addition to the University at this time and therefore, must appeal to the gratitude and loyalty of everyone who has ever attended the University. I believe it is just what is needed to secure the immediate and active co-operation of everyone.

Last year the Association published a complete list of its members entitled "Who's Who" showing a record of every member of the Association. This was the first book of its kind ever issued by the alumni of any university and it has shown the educational world, as well as the alumni themselves, what our university graduates have accomplished; besides it has done wonders in getting the members in closer touch with each other, thus adding greatly to the strength of the Association.

"Who's Who" will appear this year as usual, revised to date, with the names of new members added. Aside from the great practical value of such a directory from a business standpoint, it is extremely interesting to read of the real doings of our old college friends. It has also been suggested that "Who's Who" furnishes an additional incentive for everyone to work out the best possible record.

This year the Association will publish a *Monthly* devoted exclusively to the interests of the University, the Association and its members. It will be full of enthusiasm and inspiration for all and will serve to keep us all in touch with each other and the University. It is a pity that so many of us have been deprived of the advantage and pleasure of closer contact with our own university life and its ideals, but, through the *Monthly*, we will now be able to constantly renew these associations. Its tone is to be personal. It is published for the members and it is for them to use for the best interests of all. It has made a great start and, under its present able management, its success is assured. It is just what we have all wanted and needed.

Ohio State Day will be celebrated this year as it was last year, but on a much larger scale. Every alumni association in the country will meet on November 29, to renew their old friendships and pledge anew their loyalty to the University and the spirit of our new Association. It is hoped that this year we will have over three thousand men at these meetings. Surely the psychological effect of these meetings is bound to be great. The names of the committees in charge of these meetings will be printed in the *Monthly* next month with full particulars. Look out for it.

The climax of the year's work will be the celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the founding of the University. The alumni will co-operate with the trustees and faculty in showing the state and the educational world, as well as the graduates themselves, what the University has really accomplished. This will give us the first real opportunity to accord Dr. W. O. Thompson and our professors the honor that is due them for this great accomplishment.

There will be nothing lacking to make this celebration a tremendous success and one that will reflect the greatest credit on the University. There will be an academic procession, dinners, receptions, luncheons, speeches. The trustees have promised a liberal appropriation for the entertainment of the representatives of other universities and men of prominence who will attend, but the real success of the occasion is, of course, in the hands of the alumni, and it is none too early for us to begin to make preparations for this great event.

After all it is the alumni which is the real test of the university's efficiency and we want to make this occasion one that will compare favorably with the commencements of older institutions. It is earnestly hoped that all these plans will appeal to you and secure your active co-operation which is sure to bring you the pleasantest possible returns for the time and thought you will give them.

Arthur W. Block, P. '02, recently underwent an exciting experience while a passenger on a sinking steamer. Mr. Block, accompanied by Mrs. Block and Miss Fisher, sisters, had taken passage on the steamboat *Steel City*, which sank one day in August in the Ohio River. The boat was close to shore, so that the passengers were rescued without difficulty.

Athletic events, games, a basket supper and dancing in an old log cabin by the light of the moon, all combined to make a pleasant picnic for Ohio State University alumni and students living in Cleveland recently. The celebration was held at Euclid Beach.

Ohio Union, Men's Club

CARL M. BALDWIN, '07
Manager Ohio Union

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE of Ohio Union must necessarily be subject to revision. In stating our embryonic plans briefly at this time, it must be expected, therefore, that they will seem somewhat idealistic, but perhaps it is well to imagine ideal conditions

MR. BALDWIN

and to strive to reach them, although we may not be altogether confident of their realization.

Ohio Union is a club. Its privileges are limited to its members and it is not unlike the ordinary city club. Everything that the members may reasonably and properly want in a club of this kind should be supplied at a minimum cost. Every member or class of members must receive equal consideration. It is our hope that the students particularly will come to regard Ohio Union not as a commercial enterprise bidding for their patronage, but as the University club to which it is a considerable privilege to belong, and which they may find it desirable and convenient to use for every kind of social activity that it may serve. To this end serious endeavor will be made to find what the members want, and then to supply that need. This is the general program.

Unfortunately Ohio Union is not located on either a public street or a car line. Something must be done, therefore, to attract men to it. We must have large numbers here at the usual leisure hours, so that anyone who comes may be assured of finding some of his friends here. Any feeling of strangeness or lonesomeness should be overcome in this "college home."

To this end the bowling alleys have been removed and a lunch room has been installed to meet a need which it seems the restaurant did not serve. We have provided a score board for football and other sports, so that the students now come here immediately after the games on Saturday afternoons. It has been suggested that the University specify a "Union hour" at a time convenient to the largest number—say Friday afternoons from four until five, when all members are expected here for a college sing, a mandolin or glee club concert, or a football rally.

Then something must be done to bring faculty and students together. We have always been subject to the criticism that there is no social contact between students and professors, worthy of the name. This is true perhaps of all large universities, but the fact that the condition exists is not final proof that it can not be overcome. Last year the entire law faculty and freshman law class spent an

evening together in the Union. We will try to have members of the faculty in other departments meet their men here. Why should not a professor take lunch at the University club every now and then with three or four of his upper classmen? Or why shouldn't he join them in a game of billiards or cards, or mingle with other professors in his department and meet a whole class for an evening? If such social contact were a reality we would then be getting to the finer parts of a University education.

We hope for a time this year when Ohio Union will be associated inseparably in the minds of alumni, students, and faculty with every proposed gathering of Ohio State men.

Letter and Comment

THE SHOP AS TEACHER

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The practical service of the big city shop and manufacturing plant in educating the young college student who leaves the university with the marks of his technical education still upon him, has been set forth in a recent communication by Dean Schneider of the University of Cincinnati, the first school in this country to afford shop practice and textual instruction under actual commercial conditions. He says:

"We learned the first year, and have had it verified each year since, that the shop will spot a yellow streak in a man before the university even suspects it. An attempt to sneak through spoiled work is never a great success there. We, at the college end, soon found our work under scrutiny and criticism from a source that does not hesitate to scrutinize and criticize. We are brought face to face with the failure of a university department as we never are in our four-year courses. A student, let us say, has finished successfully his work in physics. Some day he does a fool thing in the shop which indicates that he knows very little about the subject. When you confront him with the fool thing, and with the fact that he should have known better because he had been taught the theory governing it, you find his grasp upon the theory to be very feeble."

OHIO AND THE BIG NINE

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Announcement that Ohio State is to enter the western conference in athletics has been greeted with great elation by many Ohio State men, who look back to the palmy days of football. Philip Rothrock, Ag. '08, voices the enthusiasm of many of the old grads in the following letter: "I am glad to learn that Ohio State is at last in the western conference, and I am sure the step was a wise one and should have been taken years ago. I have seen athletic teams from Minnesota, Chicago, Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana, Purdue, and Northwestern, California, Stanford, and the University of Washington, compete in both football, track, basket ball, and baseball, and I do not think we will have any more trouble with them than we do in competing with our present competitors. I believe we would win just as often, and I am sure the victory would be better and the advertising much greater than if we were to continue as at present."

AN ALUMNI PROM

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Benjamin T. Brooks, A. '06, now in the research department, University of Pittsburgh, is already looking forward to the commencement festivities of next year. In a letter to the editor, he makes a good suggestion regarding a prom. Here it is:—"Last year I noticed that the prom was strictly a class prom and it is easy to understand why the alumni would not attend, if the class really is to have its farewell prom. It is perfectly proper. Yet I think we all look on the prom as the event most worth attending, the pleasantest thing of all. Why not have an alumni prom, to which all the alumni and professors could go? Very few people enjoy receptions, but I believe an alumni prom should be a great thing. What do you think? The number of alumni who now return in June, easily make such a thing possible and I believe there would be a greater number of the 'better halves' than under the present system." Incidentally, look out for an interesting article by Brooks in a coming number of the *Monthly*.

What's What in University Athletics

EDWIN H. PENISTEN, EX. '12
Columbus Citizen

WITH A NEWLY devised athletic policy combining the best features of representative western universities, Ohio State University is this year making preparation to enter the Western Conference next year with all her athletic relations well in hand. This year marks the inauguration of a new system at Ohio State, a system entirely divorced from the control of the department of physical education and placed in the control of a director of intercollegiate and intramural contests, who is to take charge all the year round and who is to develop the recreative side of physical training among all the students as well as the competitive feature as emphasized in university teams. In this work he is assisted by a coworker of equal importance, a manager who is to carry out the policies of detail and lend aid in the work. The new system, as adopted by the University faculty on recommendation of a special committee that investigated thirty representative universities, is already working smoothly and efficiently.

The man chosen for the responsible position as director of athletics is John R. Richards, an expert of varied athletic interests and ability, who has won wide recognition as a football coach. He is known as a trainer of all phases of out-door activity, and not merely as a coach, although he is perhaps supreme on the gridiron. Associated with him is L. W. St. John, pre-eminently a basket ball and baseball coach. It happens that both positions complement each other most satisfactorily. They are not in the least antagonistic.

The control of intercollegiate athletics is vested in an athletic board of control of nine members, five of the faculty, appointed by the President, two of the alumni and two from the student body. This board appoints the athletic director, engages all coaches and trainers, approves all schedules and expenditures and appoints all student managers and other assistants. Now for some personal history and a resume of the football season already begun.

Richards was twice captain of the football team and rowed on the crew at Wisconsin. When he graduated in '98 he became superintendent of Blees military academy and later at Shattuck school. He had no idea of adopting the profession of coaching when he started teaching. He simply fell into coaching the athletic teams and was in charge of athletics at both schools.

Later he became principal of Colorado high school and while there performed the unusual stunt of directing that school, together with its track and football teams and also the track and football teams of Colorado college, located at Colorado Springs.

Richards has proved himself a born coach. He has had winning teams everywhere and his work attracted so much attention that the Wisconsin alumni, who were having an awful time trying to develop something like a decent athletic showing for their alma mater asked him to come back and take charge in 1910 and try to straighten things out. He did. The net result was that the Badgers showed a complete, almost miraculous reversal of form in all departments of athletics. They only lost two athletic contests all year to conference teams, one in football and one in baseball out of a schedule of 14 games. Incidentally they won the western championship in baseball and basketball and the showing of their crew was the best ever.

Richards has started in on his job like a house afire. If he is long on any one thing it is "pep." He simply tingles with it. He probably has the best football material to work with since Sweetland's time, but he is going after things as if he had to develop a winning team out of nothing. "No team has a mortgage on good football, no matter what their past reputation. It's the team that works hardest that wins" is his slogan, expressed to the team at their first meeting.

This year there are seven of last year's so-called regulars back. The freshman team is the richest in material that has ever been produced at State. The team is heavier than usual by almost ten pounds. From the way the team has lined up so far the line should average 195 from tackle to tackle. The backfield looks fair, but the ends are liable to give trouble.

However, if work will do anything the team should be a winner. Richards is a worker. He

has driven the team harder than either Jones or Vaughn, who were considered "some" workers. Consequently the team is further advanced than any State team for years, so that there was little difficulty in defeating Otterbein and Denison.

One reason for this is that the fight for positions is keener than usual because of the host of material out. Another is that Richards is popular with the members of the squad. They are all working for him. He started getting acquainted with the men during vacation when he got the names and addresses of 40 and kept up an active correspondence with them all summer. Personal contact has made him even more popular.

One of Richards' innovations in his method of coaching came when he announced that there would be no secret practice. All of the secret work is done through meetings of the players and coach at the new team house several evenings a week. The result was that students as well as Columbus people have turned out in far greater numbers to watch evening practice than ever before.

Richards' popularity is not because of any convivial or easy going attitude toward the players. On the field he is a driver with no sympathy for a loafer. He has a stinging line of sarcasm that he applies continually with good effect. Occasionally he throws in a word of praise.

Richards says that Ohio State athletics will be brought up to Western Conference standards. He also says that there are a lot of changes to make and a lot to accomplish before this can be brought about. It will take time. But Richards is a fighter. He is going after the situation tooth and nail. While it is a little too early to make any predictions it looks like he has the right spirit and that he is starting things in the right direction.

And then there's St. John, the other part of this dual organization, who is also giving some of his time to keeping the idea of trimming Michigan firmly in the mind of the squad. St. John has charge of the details of management and sees to it that things move in a business-like manner. He will act as head coach of basketball and baseball and is an all-round athletic coach, to which he adds the graces of a sportsmanlike gentleman. His full name is Lynn W. St. John, but he is known to all as just "Saint." He played left halfback on the Ohio State team that tied-up Michigan in 1900 and has a clean record as a heady football star. For several years he has turned out formidable football elevens at Ohio Wesleyan. The combination of Richards-St. John will prove a winner.

AND THE SPRING WON

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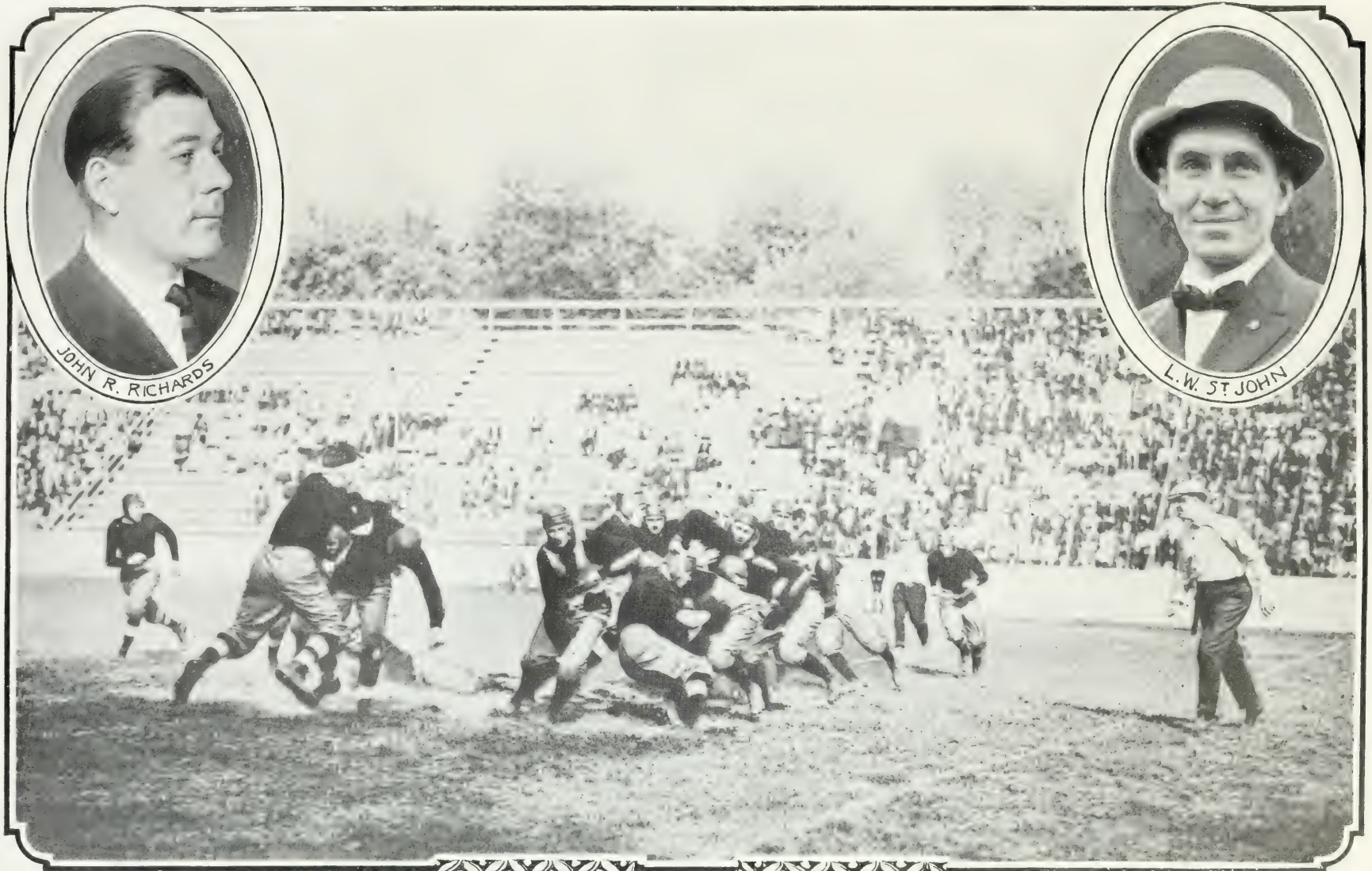
It's the spring—our spring down by the lake—that renews all of the half-forgotten joys and keeps the heart beating warm for Ohio State. Some of the undergrads may not feel its pulling power just yet; but to the old boys it is the trysting-place of old delights. Here's a letter from George N. Cole, M.E. '91, who is eastern states agent for patent doors with offices in New York, and he says it makes him thirsty to think about it. "I wish I had a tink-up, *loaded*," that's his very phrase.

Whereupon Cole proceeds to spin a yarn told him by Cora Rigby, Ex. '89, now one of the Sunday editors of the *New York Herald*. She had it from John G. Deshler of Columbus—and it proves that the spring is the center of all our cherished traditions. It seems that Miss Rigby's grandfather, Daniel Keller, was one of the board appointed to select a site for the University. He had been chosen from the senatorial district, representing Fairfield county. John G. Deshler was one of the Columbus committee of business men who were endeavoring to have the school brought to the capital. As the time for the decision approached, all of the board, except Mr. Keller, had declared themselves. It was a tie between Columbus and another town, possibly Dayton. Mr. Keller and Mr. Deshler had come from the same town in Pennsylvania; and Mr. Deshler had hopes of converting him to Columbus. So he invited him to dinner one day, and over the fried chicken asked him if he had noted all the advantages of the Columbus location. They talked for a while, and then Mr. Deshler suggested that they take a drive and look over the proposed site. So they made a detour of the property. Knowing the advantage of a good water supply Mr. Deshler drew the attention of his guest to the spring, clear and flowing. The spring won the day. Daniel Keller cast the deciding vote for the spring and Ohio State University was built around it.



FACE TO FACE WITH THE NEW COACHES

An exciting moment in the State-Otterbein game

The National Federation of College Women

ON JULY 10 and 11 there was effected in Chicago, an organization of college women that will doubtless be far-reaching in its influence. This organization is to be known as the National Federation of College Women. It is an organization formed upon broad inclusive lines, and makes a place for the non-graduate as well as the college woman who holds a degree. It is an organization of college women's clubs as well as college alumnae clubs.

The object of the organization is to bring together the college women of the country for mutual benefit and interchange of ideas, to secure unity of purpose as well as unity of action, and thereby to conserve the power of the college women of the nation towards rendering some effective service.

No provision has been made in this organization for the individual college woman. She must join this federation through a local group. This will mean the bringing together in each community the college women of that community, no matter how few in number. The strength of the organization will lie in the fact that its members are organized groups rather than individuals.

The organized college women of the country can be a tremendous power in any channel in which their interest may be directed. They are the favored daughters of the country, and should be able to speak with intelligence on the problems of higher education for women. They realize and recognize the demand of the times, and should take an active part in the discussion of all questions concerning the training of women, whether in classical, technical, or vocational courses.

This movement was instigated by the College Women's Club of Columbus, O. This club has a membership of 200, representing more than thirty colleges and universities. In March of this year, at the invitation of the Columbus college women, representatives of the leading college women's clubs of the state met to discuss the advisability of forming a National Association of College Women. The call for the meeting in Chicago was the result of this meeting in Columbus.

The attendance at the Chicago meeting exceeded the expectations of those most interested in the project. The people who were present represented the far East and the far West, the eastern college for women and the large state university. There were present five officials of universities, four of them holding the position of dean of women in their respective institutions. There were also faculty members and teachers in high schools.

The institutions represented were Wellesley, Vassar, Wells, Cornell, Oberlin, Michigan, Ohio State, Wisconsin, Illinois, Chicago, Miami, Washington State College, Iowa, Northwestern, and Lake Erie. Many institutions that were not represented officially expressed their interest in the movement. Among such institutions were: California, Oregon, University of Washington, Denison, Western Reserve, Ohio Wesleyan, Montana, North Dakota, Tufts, Oxford College for Women, and Boston University. Much interest has also been manifested on the part of the College Women's Clubs of the country. The time seems ripe for such an organization. The Hon. Philander P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, heartily endorses the movement, and foresees a great future for such an organization. He was present with other leading educators at a college women's dinner held in Chicago on July 10, and spoke most enthusiastically of the movement.

The officers of the new organization are: President, Mrs. William Oxley Thompson, Wells College; vice-president, Mrs. Willard Beahan, Cornell; secretary-treasurer, Miss Ida McKean, Vassar; bursar, Miss Anna Peterson, Chicago; board of directors, Mrs. Philander P. Claxton, Randolph-Macon; Dr. Jane Sherzer, Michigan, and president of Oxford College for Women; Edith D. Cockins, Ohio State, registrar of Ohio State University; Mrs. Gertrude S. Martin, Michigan and Cornell, adviser of women at Cornell; Herriett E. McKinstry, Michigan, professor of Latin, Lake Erie College.

Edith D. Cockins, '94

The New Dean of Women at Ohio State

NAN CANNON, '01

"WHAT ABOUT THIS new dean of women at the university?"

"What is she going to do for the girls up there?"

These and similar questions have been asked many times recently ever since the new dean, Miss Caroline Breyfogle, was appointed and not only have they been asked by townspeople, but by college grads as well, who seem to have rather a hazy idea of what a dean of women is for.

Would that they could all meet Miss Breyfogle. That alone would answer their questions. Such a splendid woman at the head of the girls in the university is going to give women's standing in Ohio State a prestige that it has never had. To meet the new dean, to see her eyes light up with enthusiasm, to hear the whole-hearted interest in her tones as she talks of the girls, and anyone would be convinced that the dean is going to do great things for the women of the university.

"I haven't any plans yet," she tells us, "I can't have any until I go over the situation thoroughly, get acquainted with the girls and see just what problems we are confronting. I should like to contribute something to the general educational problem; I should like to aid in the personal development of the girl in college and I should like to do something towards enlarging the social side of college life."

First of all, Miss Breyfogle wants to know each girl personally, not only her name and her face, but the intimate nature of the girl, her ambitions, her difficulties. In the one case she will stand by to aid and encourage; in the other to sympathize and help. She wants all the girls to feel that in her they have a friend to whom they can go at all times and in whom they can confide. She has taken a house at 16 East Fourteenth Avenue—in the heart of the university settlement—and this she hopes to make a rendezvous for college women. She will also have as offices two beautiful rooms in the new library building and at all times, either at her house or on the campus, will she be accessible to the college girls.

At her house she will be "at home" informally every Friday afternoon to the girls and here they will have an opportunity of meeting townspeople and others outside the college world. Here, too, she will invite shy little freshmen to dinner and make them forget that first awful homesickness.

MISS BREYFOGLE

Miss Breyfogle has spent the time since college opened—really she began some weeks before—in getting acquainted with the girls. Her days are spent in the "gab" room and her leisure hours at receptions, teas and "spreads" given by different groups and organizations of women at the univer-

sity. Gradually she is beginning to distinguish the fraternity groups, the little informal cliques, the popular girls and the ones who are alone. With the latter especially, will the new dean concern herself. To see that every girl gets her full share of the social life of the university, that is one of the problems which Miss Breyfogle would like to solve.

She is looking into the places where the girls live—those from out of town, not able to get into Oxley—the kind of people they live with, whether they have any intercourse with the family. If they take their meals outside the house, where do they go? Do they get good, nourishing food at these places and what society do they have there? What becomes of the girls when they are ill? Where do they go and who takes care of them? And girls who are working their way through college, they need especial help. It will be the new dean's aim to give it to them. She will see that they are properly placed and that they get a little pleasure out of college, too.

Miss Breyfogle would like to see a student's ward or at least rooms maintained regularly at some city hospital for sick students; she would like to see all the girls not able to get into Oxley, housed in some large annex nearby; but all together where they would have some community life and table talk, which she thinks one of the most stimulating things about college life. She would like to see all of the girls having some fun in college and not some of the girls having all of the fun, as is unhappily very often the case.

So you see the new dean has a great many problems to face. She is going to attack them bravely, but she is counting on the sympathy and co-operation of all the women's organizations affiliated with the university, the sororities and their alumnae, the Women's Faculty club, the Alumnae club, the women's literary societies and others.

At a reception on the campus recently the new dean was introduced by a high school teacher and college graduate who had this to say about her: "It was a liberal education to introduce Miss Breyfogle. I learned something every minute of the two hours I stood in line with her. It was charming to watch her meet people. She had something personal and different to say to every one, a way somehow of putting them immediately at ease. You should have seen some of those shy youngsters beam at her. That woman is a 'find.'" *And such is our new dean!*

WESTERN NEW YORKERS ORGANIZE

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Good news comes of the banding together of Ohio State men in western New York, formed on the evening of September 28, with the Lafayette Hotel in Buffalo as the place of christening. An informal dinner furnished a working basis for the organization and by the time the bakers' dozen present had reached the "we-have-with-us-this-evening" stage, everybody was enthusiastic and ready for business. Dull care was farmed out with the outlaw league, the old grads told their favorite stories of Pat Kelly and the palmy days of the "Old North Dorm," and every mother's son had a rollicking time. When the time for campaigning came, Lester P. Slade, '11, was elected president and R. S. Van Atta, '11, was elected secretary and treasurer. Alexander Patterson of Buffalo, a student at State in '88, was the "grand old man" of the gathering, although the word "old" is about as applicable as to him as cherries in January. Mr. Patterson spoke of being present at the first meeting of the Pittsburgh alumni association, an admirable body, and expressed the hope that in time the New York association would be more than a thriving infant. The next meeting will be held at Niagara Falls, November 29, the date of the annual Ohio State rally. The following men were present at the gathering: Dale M. Boothman, '03; Leonard B. Coulter, '04; Clayton J. McCorkle, Ex. '04; George H. Hardy, '10; Walter S. Lee, '10; Ernest J. Willis, '10; G. H. Cooley, Ex. '11; Lester P. Slade, '11; R. S. Van Atta, '11; Henry W. Albing, '11. Many letters of regret were received from grads unable to be present at the meeting.

At the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Ohio Building Association League held at Cedar Point, August 13-14 and 15, Nathan Dawson, L. '01, delivered an address on carefulness. J. E. Kinney, L. '10, former manager of the *Ohio State Lantern* spoke on collecting insurance and taxes from borrowers. He is connected with The Buckeye State Building & Loan Co. of Columbus.

The University Pastor at Ohio State

MARKING THE entrance of the church into the practical affairs of college students in the great state universities, services were held at Northminster Presbyterian church in Columbus on the evening of Tuesday, September 24, to install the Rev. William Houston, appointed by the Presbyterian synod of Ohio as pastor of students of Presbyterian affiliations attending Ohio State.

The Rev. U. S. Bartz of Kenton, moderator of the synod, presided at the installation exercises. The opening prayer was given by the Rev. W. W. Perrins of Columbus, and the sermon by Rev. William H. Hudnot of Youngstown, Ohio. The charge to the new pastor was delivered by President W. O. Thompson of the University, who pointed out that the state had always recognized the freedom of religion, and had never taken the position of antagonism toward it. He cited the clause in the Ordinance of 1787 which declares that religion is essential to good government, a sentiment which is bearing fruit in a deeper faith and a re-awakened religious sense. Speaking of the functions of a university pastor Dr. Thompson said:

"He is first of all to magnify the pastoral office among students. Every church knows full well the high function of the pastor. It has seemed to me that the American university would furnish the field where the pastoral office would come to its maximum usefulness. Students are not sorely in need of lectures or indeed of sermons. They are not sorely in need of social functions. Of these there are abundance already provided. What, in my judgment, is highly desirable may be described as a brotherhood in actual practice. Students need the counsel, advice and even more the friendship of a genuine man whose relation to them is not at all influenced by academic considerations. An elder brother of high character can serve as guide, counsellor and friend and perform a service of the highest importance. This service, however, is not to be measured by any increase in church rolls or by the fervor of experience in religious meetings, but by that steady directing and staying power which every man needs more frequently than we are accustomed to recognize. These university pastors therefore will be men whose efficiency will be measured in spiritual terms not easily catalogued in any report.

"The man who undertakes this office should be a man of spiritual vision, of scholarly tastes, of

REV. MR. HOUSTON

genuine manhood, with an enthusiasm for young men and women that will make him a friend in deed and in truth. He should be in some unusual sense a boy's man and a girl's man as well as a man of God. His acquaintance with the prob-

lems of young life should be supplemented with an equally wide acquaintance with the function of education in preparing men and women for public service. He need not be a pulpit orator nor a platform lecturer, but he ought to be a man with a wide range of intelligence upon the problems of modern education and the problems associated with young life. I should not call him an expert for that usually indicates intensity and narrowness of vision, but I should like to think of him as a broad-minded, warm-hearted, enthusiastic lover of men and women whose heart was as true as his vision was clear."

The Rev. Mr. Houston gathered up some of his beliefs formed in association with students thus far and expressed his firm conviction that education divorced from christian truth is but a poor make-shift. He said in part:

"If in the getting of an education the student lets go of his faith and Christian character, he has made an unprofitable exchange. He may have gained intellectual power, but he has lost the things that make life real.

"The second purpose of the minister is to bring students to a saving grace and knowledge of Christ. This is the missionary spirit of the church. The church has been going into the highways and the hedges in caring for the poor and the distressed, but it has neglected the rich, the scholarly, the prosperous and the student. The church has not done its duty so long as one person can say, 'No one asked me to be a Christian.'

"The third object of a minister commissioned to work among students should be to send them into the world to help their fellow-men. His audience may be only one person, but the idea, 'Thou art the man,' may be applied. He is to meet him face to face, meet his difficulties, counsel him as to his religious education, and direct his conscience so far as is possible. That is what I hope to do at the University."

The first address in a new series of speeches under the auspices of the department of public recreation in the school houses of Columbus, was given October 14, at St. John's Chapel by Harry S. Will, A. '10, who spoke on the theme "School Houses as Social Centers." Mr. Will is arranging for a number of musical concerts as a feature of the winter work in the recreation department.

BELLOWS, MASTER ARTIST

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The absorbing chase of the pigskin through our halls of learning has been pictured in the October *Delineator* with the old-time vivid stroke by George W. Bellows, Ex.A. '05, but more particularly A.N.A., which means that he is the youngest member in the new school of American painters. This is the explanation published in connection with the pictures drawn by Mr. Bellows, in case there are some Ohio State people who are not familiar with his work.

"These are not pretty pictures—we know they are not. Mr. Bellows knows they are not. He never did want to make pictures *pretty*, anyway. What this young American painter is after is *truth*, first, last and always. And hasn't this page from his sketch-book recorded truths about our national enthusiasm of football that all of us recognize?

"It's a brutal game, and we all know it. The pretty girls on the bleachers with their fluttering banners and glowing chrysanthemums can not make it less so. We see our sons, bruised and bleeding, led from the field, and we try to cure our apprehensive shivers with consciously attempting to increase our warm glow of pride—trying to be *glad* John is on the team, in spite of our firm conviction that the risk to his safety makes the honor a doubtful one.

"Mr. Bellows loves football as he loves every game of skill and strength and brute force—his drawings show that. But he is not deceived by the 'glory' of the field. He shows it to us as he sees it—brutal, forceful, requiring physical courage of the highest type, exciting the lowest kind of animosities.

"Are we wrong in our estimate of 'the most perfectly learned lesson in our colleges'? Or are there more who believe as we do, when we cheer for the team, that we could be more spontaneously enthusiastic, more sincere in our college cheering, if we saw a game which went more to the swift and the clever than to big muscles and mere endurance?

"'Way down deep in our secret souls, aren't we Americans just a bit ashamed of the 'Chase of the Pigskin'? And just between you and me—behind my hand, so no Englishman can hear—would we not be glad to see our 'Halls of Learning' evolve a better game? In the meantime, quite apart from that question, let's take off our hats to Mr. Bellows and the way he has interpreted the spirit of the game, and let us acknowledge that his leadership of the younger school of American painters has been well earned."

Afield With Secretary Warwick

DETROIT MEETING

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Plans were formulated for the organization of all Ohio State men in Detroit and vicinity at a meeting held August 2 in the Tuller Hotel in Detroit, in which Secretary Warwick met some of the enthusiastic Ohio State men of that city. Prominent in the movement to cement former students and alumni into a firmer bond of organization are: S. D. Callender, L. '98, an attorney; L. R. Martell, A. '99, superintendent of production at the Packard Motor Co.; H. J. Bradshaw, P. '00, city representative of the F. S. Bowser Co.; F. E. McCleary and L. B. Case of the research department of the General Motors Co., both of '06; A. B. Piper, '08, of the Cadillac Motor Co. and C. S. Fisher, '07, of the Packard Motor Co. Hearty approval greeted the discussion of the proposed dormitory plan and the work of the university association. The new association pledged itself to co-operate in both. Plans were also made for the coming celebration of Ohio State day throughout United States. Newspapers of the state will be asked to give publicity to the proceedings of the local club and of the University. D. R. Conard, B.Sc. '12, Centerburg, Ohio, was a visitor.

TWIN CITIES ASSOCIATION

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Ohio State men gathered at the old West Hotel for luncheon to meet with Secretary Warwick for the purpose of learning about the proposed dormitory, and to plan for the work of the Twin Cities organization. Fred G. Smith, A. '07, the head of the United States food inspection laboratories at St. Paul, attended the gathering. F. I. Bright, L. '00, formerly United States consul to England, who recently opened law offices in that city, was unable to be present, but telephoned his desire to be counted in as an active and interested member.

C. P. Sigerfoos, B.Sc., '89, of University of Minnesota, and president of the Twin Cities club, was absent from the city, also W. M. Powell, A. '07, the secretary and treasurer, who is connected with the University.

Among Minneapolis men in attendance were W. B. Van Tilburg, Ex. '09, recently married to an Ohio girl and engaged in the mercantile business; B. M. Mohler, P. '07, '09, since graduation identified with the state board of health; and C. G. Salt, A. '06, connected with the high schools. The opinion was expressed that there should be more information in the press concerning the University, and that the local men ought to begin to boost. Mr. and Mrs. Warwick were entertained in St. Paul by Mr. Smith.

CHICAGO LUNCHEON

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Enthusiastic men of the Chicago Ohio State club met at noon, on August 12, at the Grand Pacific Hotel in order that Secretary Warwick might explain the plan being advanced in the interest of the dormitory scheme. Notices had been sent out some days prior to the meeting and the attendance was not as great as usual, owing to the fact that so many were out of the city on vacations. All were pleased to learn of the interest shown at Detroit and the Twin Cities, and heartily approved of the work of the Association. Those present who had not joined the Association signified their desire to do so. S. E. Bennett, of the U. S. B. A. I., the president and Benjamin A. Jackson, C. E. '08, warehouse representative of the Illinois Steel Company, and treasurer of the local club, were unable to be present. The meeting brought out several men who had recently moved to Chicago and many new acquaintanceships were formed. The men feel that their organization can play an active part in the new athletic relations which Ohio State is about to begin with the conference teams and are especially anxious to interest Hugh Fullerton, sporting editor of the *Chicago Tribune*, in the local organization and in newspaper publicity for Ohio State in athletics. Mr. Fullerton was enrolled in the University in '91 and claims allegiance to it. When the football season opens the men propose to attend in a body and show that Ohio State is on the map. Some of the Ohio State women were hostesses to Mrs. Warwick, having planned a luncheon for her at the hotel at the time when the men met.

Among those present were: V. C. Ward, Jr., '03, the present first vice-president of the Ohio State University Association and former head of the Chicago club, now contracting agent for the American Bridge Company; C. M. Wilkinson, '06, the secretary of the club and mechanical engineer with M. C. Schwab; C. H. Booth, '03, former secretary of the club and western manager for the *Iron Trade Review;* G. M. Bailey, Ex. '09, located in the People's Gas building; J. A. Sauerman, Ex. '08, of Sauerman Bros., wire rope engineers; K. W. Wonnell, '08, patent attorney; C. C. Grant, Ex. '05; F. I. Hange, '06, with the Otis Elevator Company; R. V. Gardner, '10, formerly of Wilkinsburg, Pa.; George A. Arnold, '10, of Maywood, Ill., and L. C. Hartley, Ex. '00, chief engineer of the C. & E. Illinois Railway Co.

MERSHON KILLS A MOOSE

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There are some choice souls who can tell a truthful fish story when the logs burn low, but when questioned, lack specific evidence to prove their prowess. This, however, is not true of Ralph D. Mershon, E. '90, former president of the Association, who spent his vacation hunting big game in the wilds of Canada. Mighty Nimrod that he is, he sighted and killed a large bull moose—this is no mere political yarn made for the campaign—measuring six feet, eleven inches at the shoulders. The spread of his antlers is fifty-four inches. Such is not a Grimm fairy tale, for Mershon has the hide and antlers to prove every assertion he may care to make. But the head of such a bull moose will doubtless prove embarrassing in a New York apartment, but just the right size for the trophy room at Ohio Union. This is only a suggestion chirped by the birdie on the bough.

Samuel S. Willaman of Salem, Ohio, a student in engineering at Ohio Sate and a star member of the 1911 football team, and Miss Reita Whimmery of Salem were married early in September.

THE FLAG THAT FAILED

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This is the story of an Olympic victor and of a flag that went astray. The victor is our own Garnett Wikoff—get that, Harvard and Yale—and he was the guest of honor and the chief warbler at a little talkfest the boys of the alumni association in New York engineered on the evening of August 20 in gay old Gotham. Twenty-five were present. Prof. J. V. Denney was to have been present to address the celebration, but got lost on the subway somewhere. Clement Cooke was compelled to catch a train, so Wikoff was the king pin of the game. He related many interesting incidents of his stay at Stockholm—you'll find some of them recorded next month, maybe—and was greeted with rocking cheers.

But then there's the flag. The flag, with the colors of the University resplendent, was to have been used in the Olympic parade in honor of the returning American heroes. Duke Earle was commissioned by the Association to get a banner of a strange device and bring it to the line of march so that Ohio State men might let the world know that they had a representative at the games. Earle showed up an hour or two later, and received a warm welcome but no incurable bruises, although his self-respect received a serious set-back. Secretary Hare is said to have made several satirical remarks. But anyhow, everybody knew that Ohio State had an athlete to be cheered.

The New York alumni are planning to create some more excitement on the evening of the Michigan game, when they give a sandwich soiree and chant victorious wahoos.

TURNER AS PROSECUTOR

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Since Edward C. Turner, L. '01, assumed the office of prosecuting attorney of Franklin county, Ohio, convictions have been secured in more than 95 per cent of criminal cases. During the five terms of court at which he has represented the state, 224 persons have been tried for crimes ranging from first degree murder down and only 11 persons have been acquitted. During the year ending September 1, there were 38 convictions. Not a single case carried to the higher courts has been reversed. Mr. Turner and members of his staff have been equally fortunate in disposing of civil cases to which the state or county was a party.

RECALLS OLD DORM DAYS

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The good old days in the North Dorm were recalled by Mark Francis, B.V.M., '87, now a professor of veterinary medicine of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, who stopped off at the University recently while on his way to Ithaca, N. Y., to inspect the equipment of the Veterinary College there. Francis declared that the North Dorm was not an assemblage of flunkers, but that the record of scholarship was very high. He says that he remembers that ideas and tricks of all kinds were evolved by the boys in the Dorm, and that watches were not the only things that slept under the pillows. Francis has sent his elder son to enroll in the freshman class of the University and in 1915 promises another boy here. He did not neglect to speak of the resources of the great state of Texas and of the future of the university in which he is now teaching. Francis is an active worker in the association and is one of the backers of the proposed dormitory scheme.

FULLERTON AS A CHEF

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Hugh Fullerton, student in Ohio State in '91, now the recognized authority in baseball, in the United States, has a new wrinkle. He is giving tips on cooking and can evolve onion soup, breaded veal, and sweet corn that bring all the appetizing remembrances of the dinner-table back home. Furthermore, he has a pretty family of ideas on the greatest of all arts. "It requires the imagination of the poet" he remarks, "the careful anaylsis of the scientist, the palate of a gormet and the patience of Job. There should be a real cook in every hold and it should be the brainiest person of the bunch. There is more nutrition in an ear of corn than in an artichoke, and a well cooked piece of round steak will beat lobster to a frazzle as a strength producer." Incidentally, you should see the picture the *Columbus Citizen* published of Fullerton, resplendent in a white cap and coat. It makes you hungry to look at him.

ENGLISH STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES

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Plans now under way for sending English and colonial students to American universities on the lines of the Rhodes scholar system, have met with both opposition and endorsement at the hands of educators. Prof. Henry Winchester Rolfe, Greek scholar, who has been studying in England, has kept in touch with several Americans behind the projects. He is enthusiastic over its possibilities. "The attendance of English students at American universities," he said, "will do them more good than the matriculation of American Rhodes scholars at Oxford, for the Englishman is naturally more insular than the American. I am convinced after residing here for some time that American civilization is generally on a higher plane than English."

JAPANESE COMMISSIONER VISITS UNIVERSITY

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As one of the first steps leading toward the upbuilding of animal husbandry in Japan, Dr. Issa Tanimura, commissioner in live stock, made a visit to Prof. Charles S. Plumb of the University recently to investigate the work done in animal husbandry and to gain some light that may be useful in the development of the sheep industry in Japan. Ohio State has one of the largest departments in the United States and owns live stock that has taken may prizes at national shows. Dr. Tanimura was well satisfied with his visit and intimated that he might send several Japanese students to the University to study animal husbandry.

One of the most enthusiastic bull-moosers in Columbus is Walter J. Sears, A. '94, trustee of Ohio State University, who has been active in the organization of the Franklin County Progressive Association. He is treasurer of the executive committee. Mr. Sears is president of the Sears and Simpson Co., and a member of the board of overseers of Ohio Union.

JOLLY GOOD FELLOWS OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO—PICK THEM OUT

View on steps of Old North Dorm

Joining a Frat at Old North Dorm

B. A. EISENLOHR, '87.

WHEN IN 1907 the old North Dorm was razed, a spectator of the earlier days went to view the ruins. The most profitable and perhaps the happiest days of his life had been spent within the walls of the building now laid low. His visit to the ruins, therefore, was in the nature of a pilgrimage. His heart was sore. Something that he had loved dearly had passed away. Unless you have lost one beloved to you, you will be unable to understand the feelings that stirred within him. He picked a brick from the mass that was piled before him to take it home and preserve it as a souvenir of happier days, much as one preserves a lock of hair because of the memories attached to it. By one of those rare chances, he found underneath the brick that he had picked up, an unsigned diary of some former student or possibly students. The dates run from 1881 to 1890. This diary came into the hands of another student, one who had been secretary of the Dorm some time during the period mentioned, and who had preserved his minutes of the meetings and events during that time. This diary and these minutes are the sources of the following episode.

With the opening of the winter term of the year '84-'85, there came to Ohio State a student who had spent one term at another Ohio institution of learning, and he made his residence at the Dorm. He took particular pains to tell his fellow-students there that because he had been at My, O My! University for one term, he was on to the ropes and was no longer green. He took the same kind of pains to let the boys know that he was willing and even anxious to join a frat, any old frat, just so it was one. That seemed to be the height of his immediate ambition.

This was in the good old days when ideal conditions prevailed. The Dorm harbored frats and barbs and both lived together not only in peace, but in jolly good comradeship. Frat houses were undreamed of.

Mannikin's desire to join a frat was so evident, and had begun to affect him mentally and physically to such a degree that the boys, moved by purely humanitarian reasons, decided that something had to be done for him. So the frats and the barbs got together one evening, discussed measures of relief and decided to organize a fraternity into which Mannikin might eventually be initiated. This fraternity lived ten days and no longer, because its mission was accomplished in that time. It adopted the initials Alpha, Rho, Omega, a password, countersign, ritual, colors and whatever else may be necessary for a well-organized fraternity, elected its officers and then proceeded to business. It immediately made Mannikin a bid, which was even more immediately accepted. A night was appointed on which the solemn initiation was to take place. The candidate was required to get a peck of apples for the boys on the day before the initiation. He got two. When the evening and the time arrived, he was blindfolded in the "office," turned round and round several times, led across the porch and down the steps out into the yard. He was walked around there for quite a while, told that we had arrived at the frat hall, marched right back up the steps to the third floor of the Dorm and into that big north-east room. The boys in fantastic costumes were all on hand and the initiation ceremonies began. The grand-high-muckolorum was attired in a night shirt and dunce cap and wore a long, full beard of white cotton. After a number of preliminaries, the oath was administered to the candidate. He solemnly swore that he would keep all secrets inviolate, not only in life, but even after death. The ceremonies were even more impressive than long.

Branding the candidate with the seal of the Alpha Rho Omega was perhaps the most impressive part of the ceremony. A red-hot poker was held close to the unadorned body of the candidate. An icicle of good dimensions, which had been broken from the window-frame of the room, was then suddenly applied to the warmed spot and the whoop that followed was more than sufficient evidence that the branding had been successful.

Some strips of colored calico were then pinned on the lapel of the candidate's coat, who had been told that these were the frat colors and that he must wear them for a week. He needed no persuasion. Proudly and happily did he wear that calico all over the campus for a week.

He didn't seem to tumble. What was to be done? That was the question the boys discussed at another meeting about a week later. This meeting resulted in the organization of a rival frat. Members of the rival frat made Mannikin a bid, told him he was the kind of timber they were looking for, how they had had their eye on him from the very first day he appeared, how sorry they were that he had joined the Alpha Rho Omega, that it was a "rotten" frat, that they would insist that he must leave them, and that if he did not do so and join the rivals the latter would use force. They could not afford to lose as good a man as he. He turned a deaf ear to the entreaties of the rivals. He was proud to be a member of such a famous frat as the Alpha Rho Omega was. The rivals who had an understanding with the Alphas continued their rushing. They got Mannikin in a room one night and were going to initiate him even against his will. The Alphas were in the adjoining room waiting to hear the "cry of distress." The rivals laid violent hands upon the candidate. The cry of distress came. The Alphas rushed to the assistance of their dear brother in need. For half an hour the opposing frats yanked their mutual victim out of one room and into another, up one hall and down another. Finally, by previous mutual agreement between the rival frats, the Alphas got their brother safely into a room and held the fort against the assaults of the enemy. As had also been agreed between the rivals, the dear brother was advised to take refuge out in the yard behind some bushes. His brothers conducted him thither safely. When they returned to the Dorm they told the rivals behind which bush the victim had hidden. The rivals, armed with sticks and clubs, went out and beat around every bush on the lawn except the right one. Then they gradually rounded up around the right bush, pounced upon their victim and grabbed him—almost. Before they quite got him he jumped from behind, made a bee-line for the lane, now called Eleventh Avenue, and the last seen of him, he was fast disappearing in the direction of High Street. What became of him that night or subsequently, is unknown. He was never seen again. This is only one way in which the boys of a former generation got rid of an undesirable citizen.

The New President Athletic Board

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THOMAS EWING FRENCH, '95

Professor in Engineering Drawing, Ohio State University.

Prof. Thomas E. French is the new president of the Ohio State University athletic board, and has done much to give the new system every promise of success. He has established cordial relations not only with the conference of Ohio colleges, but is also to represent Ohio in the important councils of the Big Nine with which Ohio State teams will be associated in the future. This does not mean that the University is to drop athletic relations with Ohio teams; merely, that it will compete next year with universities in other states, of the same rank and importance. Mr. French is energetic and enthusiastic and has already left his imprint upon athletic policies. The new Athletic House is largely the embodiment of his ideas and should fill a large niche in the life of Ohio State athletes.

The Old Grad on the Campus

THE NEW COLLEGE YEAR

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IT DOESN'T make a bushel of difference just *when* the old grad comes strolling back to the campus to see how the University has prospered during his absence. There are always changes and improvements and new, shining prospects to greet him. Change is the sure evidence of growth. A thing or a town may get so hoary with age as to become new. That's going to be true of old, staid University Hall some day when not even the clinging ivy will hide the decrepitude of parting plaster and brick. But just now, old grad, there are some fresh faces asking for recognition on the campus. There's the Library, a white palace of unsullied stone, standing out solidly under the trees, with no unsightly fence to hide its beauty. It's nearing completion. The wet summer has delayed the drying of plaster and the work of interior decoration, and additional appropriations are necessary for equipment; but there is progress. Miss Jones, the librarian, says we should be in our new home in the second semester if all goes well and the legislature unties the wallet. Look out for some pictures, inside and out, of this latest addition to university architecture.

The new walks are immensely artistic. They have been constructed around northeastern approaches to University Hall, utilizing blocks of brick sunk in cement in checkerboard patterns. The entrance to the main building—which you used to remember as a sort of butler's pantry—has been broadened by many feet and decked with stone facades and wide, stretching steps. Across the way to the Armory a new doorway has been cut in the rear to relieve the congestion of this crowded building—and incidentally it lends a fresh beauty to this fine old castle.

The house formerly occupied by Prof. B. F. Thomas, has been converted into a headquarters for the football squad with all the conveniences that bring comfort and efficiency attached. Across from the President's home—and some day we're going to have a Prexy mansion to match the man—a skirting board-fence attempts vainly to hide the rising walls of the new archaeological museum, whose cornerstone Dr. W. C. Mills, B.Sc. '98, M.Sc. '02, the curator, laid with impressive ceremony at the opening of the school year. While it is scarcely to be considered a university building, Dr. Mills and Ohio archaeology have been so inseparably woven into the activities of our common life here on the campus, that we consider them both members of the family. The building will be a great addition to the campus and will enable the Archaeological and Historical society to house adequately its unexcelled collection of historical treasures. Down by the river is the new poultry farm.

Any note of the changes that are taking place on the campus should of course include the new trenches and the tunnels that connect the long pipes with the central heating plant. A part of the campus is thus torn up, and probably will be for some years to come; although Secretary Steeb says that improvements in the future are to proceed steadily through the year and not wait for summer time and the long vacation.

So you see, old grad, we aren't exactly settling down into a serene old age. Other buildings are in prospect, other changes contemplated. We are growing that we may serve. From the discarded cocoon comes the butterfly. And, really, we hazard a guess that you'll like all the things we are trying to do for you. Come and see.

The list of candidates for representative in the Ohio Legislature includes the names of many Ohio State men. They are as follows:—J. F. Bertsch, L. '96, lawyer; John R. King, L. '07, lawyer; C. A. Leach, L. '06, lawyer; Frank E. Ruth, L. '04. These comprise the Republican ticket. On the Democratic ticket are Erastus G. Lloyd, L. '01, lawyer; while the Progressive policies are supported by Fred G. Bale, L. '08.

MOSTLY FOOTBALL

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Not in a decade has there been such a flurry of interest as has attended the inauguration of the football season here at Ohio State—and the Old Grad has seen many squads plowing up the turf on Ohio Field in the past. Among the students, among alumni and within the ranks of the men who come up to the campus from downtown, a deeply entrenched feeling that State is going to do things this year seems to prevail. The thrill of confidence and enthusiasm is in the air, and both have taken firm hold of the players themselves. A goodly share of this fine spirit has come with the new regime—two fine, broad-gauged coaches who inspire grit and fight, a newly-constructed athletic policy and a splendid club-house to foster it in, and an abundance of good material on the field. If you have any doubt of it, you should have been back on the gridiron October 5, when the season began with the annual—and the last—football game with Otterbein. We won, of course, with the corking score of 55 to 0. But that isn't what tells the story, quite. It was the iron strength that was revealed in the squad Richards has developed. He has three sets of backs that can juggernaut the line like a battering-ram when it's the "fourth down and three yards to go." The old scoring machine is back again, and in the second game with Denison piled up 34 points. Why, only last year we only scored something like 62 points during the entire season. At this rate we ought to send the dial spinning for a hundred or so this year. One of the interesting things of the Otterbein game was the presence of some of the old stars in a special box built for them. Such men as Jim Marker, J. H. Tilton, Mother Ewing, Mother Clark, Rastus Lloyd, Tubby Smith, Homer Howard, Brand, Millious, Neff, Ball Hawk Claflin, Clare, Butch Felger, Bennie Olds and Dave Warwick were there in force and showed some of the bleacher-folk how to root when the pigskin hurried goalward. Why, it was eleven years ago to the day that Mother Clark plunged through the Otterbein line in a 6-6 score. Remember? And incidentally the wearers of the football O decided to come back for every game and to hold a big jubilee celebration and banquet on the evening of the Michigan game, which is only a few days off. The Old Grad is leary of soap-bubble prophecies, but he has a hunch that Ohio State will prove a stiff proposition when the Michigan squad trots out on Ohio Field. And if we lose, we lose; and if we win, we *win!!*

WHEN XENIANS MEET

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Xenia, Ohio, is famous for several reasons. One is that it serves as a symbol for the letter X in Mother Goose rhymes. But a more cogent one is that it is the home of the Schlesinger family. Hugo N., L. '99, police prosecutor in Columbus, and Arthur M., A. '10, instructor in economics at Ohio State, both nail the Xenia flag to their mast-head. There are other people who come from Xenia, too; one of them a negro, recently arrested in Columbus for stealing and hauled before the judge in Police Court.

The man went through court and got his sentence without any show of recognition upon the part of Schlesinger. After a while when the man was locked up downstairs he called to Probation Officer Sexton.

"Say, Cap," said the man to Sexton, "ain't that prosecutah up thar Hugo Schlesingah?"

Sexton said "Yes."

"Why, Ah know him," said the negro. "Ah done knowed him all mah life. And say, Boss, that Hugo Schlesingah—he used to carry papahs to ouh house."

Schlesinger says it's true. He did "used" to carry papers in Xenia, and he remembered the man and his mother, because they beat him out of a dollar.

WHALES, PORPOISES AND FLYING FISH

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Although D. D. Stewart, L. '06, is completing his law course in University of Southern California, at Long Beach, Cal., far away from old campus associates, he writes that he is constantly renewing the acquaintance of old grads who invade the land of roses. These include John Sherman Bailey, '06, now located at San Luis Obispo, Carlos McMaster, instructor Illinois University, Florence Welling of Columbus, Socks Raymond of Columbus and Lee Collins. Stewart says he is having the time of his life in California. He tells the story of a launch ride that he made to Santa Catalina Island in which he saw four whales that spouted water 100 feet in air, a school of porpoises—several hundred of them—and myriads of flying fish and leaping tuna. And he didn't get seasick, not once.

OUR FRIENDS, THE INDIANS

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Here on the campus we're rather proud of the compliment shown Columbus and the University in the presence of the representatives of the Indians, who met in Columbus early in October in second annual conference to talk over the problems of their fellows. As most of you know, Prof. F. A. McKenzie has been a prime factor in the organization of the movement, though he modestly disclaims the credit. At any rate we were glad to greet these stalwart leaders, all quickened with a warm devotion to the best interests of the redman, all eager to frame policies for improving his condition. The faculty was the host of the Indians at a luncheon held at Ohio Union, October 4. It was a time of rare good fellowship—for all of us are learning that we're brothers under the skin. While the intelligent white man is not especially proud of the treatment accorded the Indians in the past, he is desirous of doing his share in assuring them a future filled with fairer promise.

WANDERLUST REMINDERS

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The Old Grad has just been looking at a beautiful sepia picture in a brown frame that tells the story of Prexy Payne's vacation. It's a stretch of shimmering water with the turret of the Adirondacks in the distance and an inviting shoreline. This is the first framed remembrance of traveling days of old grads and it has come to grace the walls of Ohio Union, the starter of a little art gallery of vacation experiences. *We want dozens of them.* If you've been doing something unusual or have dipped into new worlds, get the picture, frame it if you see fit, and send it to Ohio Union to take its place in the hall of pleasant yesterdays. Come on, old grads, send us companion pieces to this fine sepia of Prexy Payne's. He's not the only man who has been vacationing.

THE RATS WILL PLAY

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Now please don't say that Prof. J. N. Bradford, university architect and campus beautifier, is a nature-fakir. This is a real story and since it's all about the spring you ought to take it for what it is worth and not appear too incredulous. Prof. Bradford says that the spring is running dry again, despite all efforts to increase its flow. And furthermore, the cause is to be found in a large congregation of water rats that have molested the underground channels that feed the basin. The big rocks at the side of the spring are alive with these gray rascals. If you don't believe it, you have only to get a loaf of bread and drop the crumbs into the lake. It won't be very long before dozens of the swimming scavengers will gather in the water to devour the bread. What we need here at Ohio State is a pied piper to lead away the destroyers of our college traditions. Somebody volunteer, please.

STUDENT ELECTIONS

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Just a word about the undergraduates. Like everybody else their attentions have been largely directed to politics, these days; even essaying to dip their fingers into the bubbling pot of national affairs. But student and electioneering balloting is quite as riotous as the main show. The only difference is that the pang of disappointment soon wears away in the adoption of some livelier issue of campus life. The annual election by Australian ballot took place Friday, October 4, and by ten o'clock at night the results of the campaign were made known, proving that college folk are lightning calculators as well as more or less ardent pursuers of wisdom. These are the official results: Elson Wefler of Massillon was elected president of the senior class. Other officers are: Elizabeth Stilwell, Columbus, vice president; Marie McNamara, Columbus, secretary; Leo Campbell, treasurer; H. G. Hunter, sergeant-at-arms; George B. Snyder, class orator; Esther Platt, prophet; Harold Childs, Columbus, poet; George C. Beery, Ivy orator; Ralph H. Miner, Columbus, pipe-of-peace orator.

Officers of the junior class are: Carl DeLong, president; Kathryn Lamb, vice president; Inez McCann, Columbus, secretary; O. P. Gephart, treasurer. Newly elected sophomore officers are: W. H. Buchhagen, president; Helen Wylie, vice president; R. S. Coffenbarger, secretary; H. L. Andrew, treasurer.

The student council is the legislative body among those attending the university. Senior representatives elected were: J. R. Geib, Charles F. Ross, Clyde T. Oakley and R. R. Shelton. Junior members newly elected were: Raymond J. Miller, Robert B. Marshall and Walter R. Kimmel. The new sophomore representatives are: E. N. Yantes, C. E. Wylie and R. A. Routsong.

A GLIMPSE OF THE NEW RUSTIC BRIDGES ACROSS MIRROR LAKE

Little Guideposts to Achievement

IN THE BELIEF that what they might have to say will prove interesting and profitable to the younger generation of college men and women who have left the University to claw out a niche for themselves in a busy world, the editor of the *Monthly* sent a budget of post-cards to patriarchs recently, asking them to set down a word of counsel and advice garnered from their business and professional experience. The replies are varied and instructive, crowded with the ripe wisdom of practical life and fired with a friendly concern for the success of the younger man and woman. All of them are well worth reading; but space permits the printing of only a few. Here they are.

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The Measure of a Man—A great corporation employing a large number of graduates judges them under the following headings: *Address, Personality, Temperament, Neatness, Order, Analysis, Executive, Decision, Fluency, Engineering Knowledge, General Knowledge, English, Initiative, Inquiry, Resourcefulness, Reliability, Energy, Persistence.*

Records of each man's work are kept for a period of two years during which time he may be said to be on probation. Each head of a department under whom he works is required to pass judgment on his characteristics as listed above. As each man may work during his probation period in a number of departments, final judgment is a concensus of opinion of a number of men who are accustomed to judging men. It will be noted that but three of the items in this list are found in the college curriculum. The average man must grade well in all these items if he expects to be really successful. A brilliant man who cannot get along well with his fellows is of little value to a large corporation. Only great genius can afford to be "eccentric" and great genius is indeed rare.

The above is the text and the outline of the sermon. I will leave it to each student to do his own preaching. C. G. S.

Good Health First of All—There is some one condition of balance between work, sleep, and play that will produce the best result; that will produce the greatest output with the least strain, and the least wear and tear upon the body. This condition of balance differs for different individuals. The best balance for one individual, for one temperament, is not necessarily the best for another. Study yourself in the endeavor to ascertain, and continually maintain, that balance which will bring the maximum accomplishment consistent with good health. In case of doubt lean rather towards recreation and sleep than towards work; good health is to be prized above all accomplishment. '90.

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In Other Words, Smile—Eleventh Commandment—Don't take yourself too seriously. You are bound to die in any event.

Remember that nearly all what we mistake as gratitude, is but a lively sense of favors to come. '90.

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Lay a Broad Foundation—My advice to a young student deciding on a course of study, is, that unless it is desired to specialize for some particular occupation, and unless the foremost need is to realize an immediate cash return on an education, to lay the foundation broad, to make the course literary and philosophical rather than scientific, although scientific knowledge should not be overlooked—not to omit Greek, and to gain a speaking knowledge of some of the modern languages; of these my own choice would be French. The whole question however, must depend very greatly on the aptitude and needs of the individual. '81.

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Is College Worth While?—The only thing I learned in college that has been of any service to me, is the comfortable realization that I did not miss much by not finishing my course. Yet I believe that the man of ambition can use the college to advantage. W. R. McG.

A Business Man's Philosophy—The knowledge you crowd into your head the night before examination passes out just as quickly as it went in. (No, I am not a professor, just a plain business man. Yes, you are right, I *am* the awful example.)

In securing your first position give more weight to the experience and training you will receive than the salary. You will soon receive full pay in money, with experience thrown in.

There comes a time when it is too late to renew college friendships. It frequently takes as much judgment and nerve to let go as it does to hold on.

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"*Must*" *versus* "*Can*"—Infidelity to duty, that is, lack of personal responsibility and interest in one's work, is the cause of many shipwrecks. "What *must* I do?" is a poor substitute for "What *can* I do?" when a newly hatched graduate is assuming a position. '84.

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Avoid Cards and Drink—The power of the University would be much greater if it would impress on its graduates a stronger realization of the fact that what they have learned in college is little else than how to learn, and that they owe the world altruistic service. The following two rules may be helpful to some who are now in college. Never play cards for money or prizes. Never treat or be treated to alcoholic drinks.

L. H. G. '92.

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Play the Game Hard—My advice to students and grads of Ohio State University is to live temperate and honest lives; work hard and after graduating to live within their means. Let them choose their life occupation carefully and then stick to it, just as a football player plays the game. Then let them purchase a home and rear a family.

E. E. C. '80.

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Watch Others, Then Yourself—Observe which of many ways nearly every man seeks to build himself up at the expense of others. This exercise ought to keep our own pride and selfishness within reasonable limits. More next time.

Learn Accuracy in College—In my contact with engineering graduates, I find them quite efficient in a general way but sadly lacking in precision—they lack definiteness. There is a vast difference between knowing how to do things and the actual performance. I have in mind a young graduate of more than ordinary attainments, whom I asked to lay out a set of speed curves. He *knew how* to do it, he *could* do it, but he *did not* do it accurately. I think this fault is due largely to the fact that many professors put a premium on inaccuracy. A student solves a problem, but makes some error in the calculation. He is allowed eighty per cent. If the professor would take the stand that the solution is either right or wrong the student would be taught a lesson on the value of accuracy that will be of invaluable service in after years.

J. A. C.

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Five Roads to Better Things—Were I in Ohio State University as a student, this is what I would do, had I the sense which has come to me since graduation:

1. I would study a little harder and be unsatisfied until I knew that I knew what I should know.
2. I would allow the daily newspaper five minutes and give hours to poetry, history, science, philosophy, and religion.
3. I would have more fun, make more friends and be a better friend myself.
4. I would often thank my professors for their service and almost worship Prexy. I now see they deserve it.
5. I would be a cleaner-cut Christian and work at the job. '91.

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Short But Not Very Sweet—What's the use anyway, students wouldn't take any advice.

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Wives, Bottles and Books—Marry a girl who, after the babies come, can sit with one baby on one knee and one on the other knee and talk—not bottles, but books. The college girl graduate who puts aside all reading except the fashion journal after getting her diploma, is often more uninteresting than the woman who never went to college, but progressed in culture, after getting married. '86.

Round Robin

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

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"State and Case have pulled together once at least," writes H. D. Cranston, M.E. in E.E. '07, who captured a little family of prizes in the canoe regattas held in the East recently. His letter is written from Schenectady, N. Y. and is a breezy one. Let Cranston tell the story in his own words:

"To begin with, I had never seen a canoe until I went East, which was in the spring of 1910, to say nothing of ever expecting to race in one. My chum, a *Case* graduate, and myself did quite a little paddling around Pittsfield, Mass. that summer and became reasonably proficient in wielding a paddle. We had a few brushes with some of the teams there and when the date of the annual regatta was announced, we were asked to participate. At first we declined, but finally on the flip of a coin decided to enter. In our first race we succeeded in taking second place and a silver cup. That merely whetted our appetites. To make a long story short we have been in a total of four regattas since that time. The races are for the most part singles, doubles, fours and tilting. We have entered in a total of eighteen races, winning nine firsts, seven seconds and two thirds. Besides there are the straddle race, crab race, broom race and the like which sometimes count as points, but more often are solely for the amusement of the spectators. Our racing has been confined to Massachusetts and New York, but the chances are that a larger territory will be included by the competing clubs within the next few years.

"In addition to the racing side of the sport, we have taken several trips ranging in length from two days' to two weeks' duration. The most interesting of these was a trip through the Fulton chain of lakes in the very heart of the Adirondacks, coming out on Lake Champlain at Plattsburg, thence through Lake Champlain and Lake George and back to Schenectady, our starting point. Part of this trip was by rail, part by water and a small part on foot, carrying canoe and pack on our backs."

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To delve into the history of the Indian tribes of the Amazon valley and to make collections for the university museum, an expedition fitted out by the University of Pennsylvania sailed for South America last month.

DON'T BE SO MODEST

You may be a timid, shrinking violet that hasn't done anything more important than hide itself under a mossy stone; but I don't believe it. You have something worth while in your life. Your business has prospered. You are known outside the circle of family and personal acquaintance. You are doing things. *This is the point. All of us are proud of any distinction that has come to you, big or little.* What belongs to you belongs to the University. Share it with us. Sit down in your rattan-chair and scribble me a little confidential note about yourself or any other Ohio State man or woman you know. Do you notice this column? All voluntary contributions, *Anything about you?* Eh! Well, we want something next month, by the first if possible. Thank you.

W. O. Harrington

VETERINARIANS IN SESSION

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The American Veterinary Medical association held its annual meeting in Indianapolis, August 26-31. This organization now has a membership of over 1500 and Ohio State University was represented at the meeting by fifteen alumni of the College of Veterinary Medicine, viz.: Dr. David S. White, '90, dean College of Veterinary Medicine, Dr. Charles B. Frederick, '00, practitioner, Canton, Ohio, Dr. C. C. Lipp, '03, professor of veterinary medicine, University of Minnesota, Dr. W. H. Redhead, '04, city board of health, Cleveland, Ohio, Dr. Claude H. Case, '04, practitioner, Akron, Ohio, Dr. L. W. Goss, '05, assistant professor of veterinary medicine, Kansas State Agricultural College, Dr. Reuben Hilty, '07, practitioner, Toledo, Ohio, Dr. F. B. Hadley, '07, associate professor of veterinary medicine, University of Wisconsin, Dr. H. S. Murphy, '08, assistant professor of veterinary medicine, Iowa State College, Dr. E. D. Harris, '08, assistant professor of veterinary medicine, University of North Dakota, Dr. John E. Turner, '09, practitioner, Kenton, Ohio, Dr. T. J. Foster, '09, practitioner, Monticello, Ill., Dr. F. A. Lambert, '10, assistant professor, comparative anatomy, Ohio State University, Dr. B. E. Edgington, '12, practitioner, Mt. Sterling, Ohio, Dr. W. F. Guard, '12, assistant in veterinary medicine, Ohio State University.

These alumni held a genuine Wahoo reunion at the Claypool Hotel on the evening of August 27. Dr. S. Sisson, chairman of the special committee on revision of veterinary anatomical nomenclature, was not in attendance, because of his absence in England. The report of this committee, however, was accepted as read by Dr. S. L. Stewart of Kansas.

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One feature of the Ohio State University extension work this year will be a lecture train over the Hocking Valley, which will start October 21, for a five-day tour of the state, under direction of the college of agriculture of the University. Lectures will be given on the train concerning hog raising, poultry raising, and soil improvement.

The instructors will be from the college of agriculture and the Ohio experiment station. One coach of the train will be reserved for children, where talks on elementary agriculture will be given.

The third annual conference of the mid-west section of the Chinese Students Alliance was held at the University of Michigan, August 30 to September 7. The program consisted of literary, athletic and musical events, conducted chiefly in the English language and the celebration for the establishment of the Republic of China. The Ohio State University Chinese Students club was represented at the Conference and contributed to the program with some college songs. T. C. Chang, a Chinese student at Ohio State, has written a report of the conference. Among other things he says:—"The purpose of having the conference is two-fold, to renew or cultivate acquaintance and friends and to make a better understanding between Americans and Chinese. With the restoration of peace, after the memorable year 1900, there was re-awakened in the bosoms of Chinese a craving for the new learning. As a result an increasing number of students at their own expense or with the support of their government, began to study at American colleges and universities. The desire of closer relationship led to the establishment of this alliance and the calling of a conference. Among the speakers at the meeting were Hon. Chase S. Osborne, governor of Michigan, Dr. James B. Angell, President Emeritus and President Harry B. Hutchins of University of Michigan, E. B. Drew, director of the Pehyang students, Dr. Ezra B. Crooks, professor of philosophy in North Western University, President Edward A. Steiner of Grinnell College, Hon. Young Kwai, acting Chinese minister to United States and T. T. Wong, director of Chinese Educational Missions in this country." Mr. Chang says that Ohio is almost the synonym for university education in America, as it signifies "Good morning" in the Chinese tongue.

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One of the finest things for any alumnus of the University to do is to send some of the younger generation back to the campus to catch the Ohio State spirit. That is exactly what H. Lewis Bell, Ex. '10, now with the Briggs Magneto Co. of Elkhart, Ind., is doing. He writes with interest of a freshman of his acquaintance. "He would be a great addition to the University—clean habits, fine character, big-hearted fellow and one whom it is a pleasure to know. I hope you can place him in Ohio State." Bell's present address is 621 Michigan St., but he expects to go shortly to Tucson, Arizona.

This is for the eye of the class of '88. Nobody else is expected to read it. It is concerned with their approaching twenty-fifth anniversary, which is to be celebrated at commencement time next year. Following the custom inaugurated last year a representative of the class is to represent the alumni at the commencement festivities. It might be well to look around for such a man now, so that he may have a word of warning before being called upon to address the senior class, alumni and students.

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The eleventh annual reunion of the Western Reserve Ohio State University Association composed of the alumni and former students of the college of agriculture and domestic science who live in Medina and adjoining counties, was recently held at the home of A. G. Abbott, Ag. '99, near Wadsworth, Ohio. Fifty members were present. The day was spent in pleasant interchange of experience and in inspecting the farm and saying howdy-do to the herds and the stables. The official meeting was called to order after dinner by the president, J. L. Jones, a student in '98. There was no real program, but many short talks enlivened the gathering. The principal speaker was Miss Harriet Mason of the *Ohio Farmer*. The following officers were elected: president, J. E. Mackey, '97,-'98, secretary-treasurer, C. M. Whipple, '96-'97. The next reunion will be held at experiment station at Wooster in August of next year.

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By a vote of 56 to 5 the college women who are members of sororities of Ohio Wesleyan University have voluntarily agreed to disband such organizations in the school. The action came as a surprise to the faculty, although such action has long been advocated. The national sororities have never been permitted at Ohio Wesleyan, but 14 local chapters of much strength existed in the student body.

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Harvey S. Shuler, E. '11, formerly of Hamilton, Ohio, is located in the Quaker City. In a recent letter to the Ohio State University Association he writes, "I am now located in Philadelphia in the office of the Kinnear Manufacturing Company, a Columbus firm. Kindly remember me to the boys." When at State Shuler was a member of the board of overseers of Ohio Union.

Ohio State's board of athletics has voted to adopt the plan of selling a season ticket to graduates at just $6, a dollar above the price paid by the undergraduates. Holders of these cards will have admission to each attraction staged under the control of the board. The bargain rate will be made to former students who attended the university for one or more years.

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It was the good pleasure of Secretary Warwick recently to meet Alexander M. Gow, assistant chief engineer of the Oliver Mining Company, who attended the University in '83. Because of the fact that the Westinghouse Manufacturing Company failed to furnish the University with equipment whereby he might work out his thesis—and since money was at a premium with him at the time—he was unable to qualify for his degree. Mr. Gow talked most entertainingly of the University as he knew it and was especially interested in hearing about the reunion of '87, since he knew practically all of that illustrious class. Through the courtesy of Frederick Sperr, president of the Michigan School of Mines at Houghton, the whereabouts of Mr. Gow had been ascertained.

Mr. Gow said he had two thriving boys and that he had already begun to think of them in relation to Ohio State. But here's the nub of the story: Mr. Gow says he wants to secure the diploma which he had failed to take with him in '83.

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A happy thought of J. D. Harlor, A. '95, in printing and circulating among his pupils, a pledge known as the Athenian Oath, has been greeted with much favorable comment throughout the state. The oath is full of high patriotism and an exalted ideal. It is as follows:—

"We will never bring disgrace to this our city, by any act of dishonesty or cowardice, or ever desert our suffering comrades in the ranks; we will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the city, both alone and with many; we will revere the city's laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in those above us who are prone to annul or set them at naught; we will strive unceasingly to quicken the public's sense of duty. Thus in all these ways, we will transmit this city not only not less, but greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

An enthusiastic meeting of students and alumni of the agricultural college was held August 28, for the purpose of renewing old acquaintances and for making plans to spread the fame of the agricultural college throughout Ohio. John F. Cunningham, Ag. '97, editor of the *Ohio Farmer*, had charge of the meeting. Talks by distinguished alumni embraced the history of the college and explained its growth and the present needs of the University in order to cope with the progressive departments of other state universities. A committee was appointed to present some of the pressing claims of the college to the incoming legislature and to make arrangements for a big celebration of all agricultural students and alumni next year at the state fair.

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The Ohio State Alumni Association of Kentucky is the latest addition to the roster of university organizations. A big meeting was held in Louisville in July, at which a goodly number of the old boys were present. A member of the first graduating class and one of the professors of the olden days, besides a number of younger men, were present. L. F. Gehres, A. '07, who is representative for American Book Company for western Kentucky, says: "We are going to make things hum down here from now on." The following officers were elected: President, H. C. Dietrich, eastern Kentucky, representative American Book Co.; Vice President, E. H. Mark, '87, state sanitary engineer, Bowling Green, Kentucky; Secretary, L. F. Gehres, '07, western Kentucky representative, American Book Co.; Treasurer, C. V. Clow, '08, Architect, Louisville, Kentucky; Organizer for eastern Kentucky, E. O. Hopkins, '08, Jenkins, Kentucky; organizer for western Kentucky, R. E. Vennum, '08, Manager Western Kentucky Coal Co., Lexington; E. Kinney, '08, state experiment station; Southern Kentucky, J. F. Burns, '91, roadmaster L. & N. railroad, Louisville; G. V. Clow, Louisville. Committee on Arrangements for annual banquet: L. W. Thompson, '06, Louisville; G. V. Clow, '08, Louisville; L. F. Gehres, '07, Owensboro.

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One of the most active advocates for the abolition of the common drinking cup, is W. H. Dittoe, E. '08, chief state sanitary engineer. He has done much to establish the presence of this lurking danger to health through study and experimentation. The matter has been taken up with the state board of health and will probably result in needed legislation.

Interesting data are being compiled by Secretary Warwick regarding the percentage of Ohio State graduates who have gone into the active ministry, or are engaged in missionary work. From the names received for the alumni register, forty-one persons give their occupation as that of minister or missionary. Of this number only two were engineers. Ten report themselves as social workers, and three former students are attending theological schools. The complete list of names and classes is as follows:—

1885—Charles V. Pleukharp.
1886—E. J. Converse.
1887—V. J. Emery, William H. Hannum.
1888—Charles E. Ewing, (Ex.), G. Glenn Atkins.
1889—H. P. Horton.
1890—Miss Bertha Scott (Missionary).
1891—Carl G. Doney.
1892—C. M. Crooks, I. L. Dungan.
1893—Herbert Scott, U. L. Mackey.
1895—James A. Geissinger.
1897—Walter A. Snow.
1898—F. C. Doan, J. F. Vornholt.
1900—David Klein, H. J. Simpson, (Ex.).
1901—George C. Dickinson, H. J. Holcombe, M. W. Mumma, D. R. Reese.
1902—Miss Eleanor E. Carson (Missionary), J. M. Chaney.
1903—Andrew J. Biebl, J. W. Hatcher, (Ex.), J. W. Warner, (Foreign Secy., International Y. M. C. A.).
1904—E. S. Dillin, P. W. Plueddeman, J. C. Williams, C. C. Hatfield, (Natl. Y. M. C. A. County Secy.).
1905—Ernest Fledderjohann.
1906—Mary E. Lawrence, (Missionary), Harry Ewing, (Ex.) (International Y. M. C. A.) W. N. Sinks, (Ex.) (Missionary).
1907—F. L. Brownlee, Edward R. Lewis.
1911—R. B. Bean, Wm. Benbower, Samuel Higginbottom.

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Of the living alumni twenty-seven report themselves as ministers; seven, three of whom are women, are missionaries; one grad is a foreign Y. M. C. A. secretary; three former students are preachers and one a missionary; one former student is a foreign secretary for Young Men's Christian Association, and one grad a national secretary for Young Men's Christian Association, having charge of the western county work; one former student is a jewish rabbi.

Among those from out of the city in attendance at the Delta Delta Delta Convention were Marcella Macke, A. '06, domestic science teacher in the Dayton high schools; Grace Houston, A. '07, teaching at Cambridge; Emilie C. Gorrell, A. '06, who has returned from Boston to her Columbus home; Jean Gothlin, Ed. '10, teaching at Martins Ferry; and Mrs. W. A. L. Beyer, of Normal, Illinois, formerly Miss Adelia Scatterday, A. '07.

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Impersonating the role of an actress stranded in a small village, her clothing attached by the constable, until rescue comes in a guise of a traveling salesman, Miss Harriet Eastman of Columbus, a former student at the University and a member of the Strollers, completed a two weeks' vaudeville engagement in Dayton and adjacent towns during the summer. While playing in London, Ohio, she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Parrott, A. '03, (Katherine Eastman). Mr. Parrott is a State man, A. '04.

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Deep mystery still surrounds the disappearance of Mrs. Ethel Keating Boggess, wife of John S. Boggess, who attended Ohio State in civil engineering 1890-95, now assistant surgeon in the United States Health and Marine Hospital at Chicago. Many clues have been followed, but thus far have proved fruitless. Following her marriage Mrs. Boggess is reported to have threatened to take her life because of despondency over the loss of the use of two fingers—for she was an accomplished musician. She later boarded a train for Kansas City to join her husband, temporarily assigned there on business for the government, and has not been seen since. The police of an entire nation have been searching for her.

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The first meeting of the Alumnae Club of Ohio State University, a Franklin County organization, was held October 12. Mrs. J. Porter Milligan (Clara Fisher), A. '86, read a paper on the work of the pioneers in the higher education of women. Miss Maud Flynn, A. '96, led the discussion. Among the subjects to be discussed this year are "The Trend of Modern Novel," by Prof. W. L. Graves, "Socialism," by Dr. James E. Hagerty, and "The Tempest," by Prof. J. V. Denney, all of the University.

Federal Judge William L. Day of the northern district was the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the alumni of the law school of Ohio State October 19 at the Ohio Union. In the afternoon Judge Day directed the cheering of the Michigan rooters who attended the Ohio State-Michigan football game. After the banquet a big reception was held by the faculty of the law school.

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According to investigations made by students of the animal husbandry department at the University, it is found the average cost of keeping horses in Columbus is forty and one-tenth cents per day per head. The lowest cost found in the keep of any animal was $89.02, while the highest cost was in the case of a show stallion, which represented an outlay of $229.02. It is found in many cases that timothy hay was given in excess. Corn and oats constituted the principal grains fed.

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Through its serum farm at Reynoldsburg, Ohio, in charge of Paul Fischer, state veterinarian, Ag. '91, V. '92, and a member of the finance committee which raised funds to float the association, the state is saving the farmers of Ohio thousands of dollars in the curing of many hundreds of pigs of cholera. Since his department was inaugurated in May, 1908, Dr. Fischer has saved 150,000 animals. The state has 400 pigs on its farm for experimentation purposes and prepares serum used in vaccinating hogs infected by cholera. The experiment has been very successful.

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The rare distinction of being one of the five American lawyers who advised English solicitors on American law in London belongs to Edward B. McCarter, A. '92, L. '94, who has been a practicing attorney in merrie old England. There is a possibility that Mr. McCarter will accept a proposition to locate in New York City.

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That he may study forest conditions and the gypsy moth question at close range, Frank W. Rane, Ag. '91, state forester of Massachusetts, is spending a few months in the Black Forest of Germany. Mr. Rane was delegated by Governor Foss to represent the state at the second national congress of Entomology, held at Oxford, England, August 5-10.

WEDDINGS

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A wedding of interest to Ohio State graduates is that of Dr. Thomas Harvey Haines, professor of psychology at Ohio State, and Miss Helen Manley Hague, solemnized in Columbus in September. Dr. W. O. Thompson officiated. Dr. and Mrs. Haines are spending a year in Europe, two months in Munich, Bavaria; two in Zurich, Switzerland; two months in London, later traveling through other countries. Mrs. Haines was formerly a Columbus teacher.

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Only immediate members of the family witnessed the wedding ceremony of Miss Clara Wilkins of Columbus, Ohio, and John A. Scatterday, Ag. '12, solemnized early in September. Mr. and Mrs. Scatterday live on Brighton Road near Clintonville. Mr. Scatterday is a member of Alpha Gamma Rho.

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Miss Muriel Moynan, Ex.A. '11, was married August 19 to Earl Washburn, salesman for the Eastman Paper Company. They live in northern Illinois.

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The marriage of Miss Lemira Ann Sherman, A. '09, and George Bradley Gascoigne, E. '10 of Cleveland, was solemnized recently. The bride's attendant was her sister (Ruth Sherman), now Mrs. George R. Schoedinger, A. '07. The best-man was Thomas White Jones, L. '11, of Cleveland. Mrs. Gascoigne is a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and her husband of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

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Merle G. Summers, A. '11, a former football star, better known as Curly, and Miss Lura Belle Gaston, Ag. '12, were married last month at the home of the bride in Columbus. Mr. Summers is principal of the high school at Swampscott, Mass., where he returns this year to teach.

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John F. Hardin, A. '10, of Columbus, and Miss Helen J. Booher were married at Mt. Gilead, Ohio, the first week in September. H. I. Hadsell, A. '08, served as best-man. Mrs. Hardin is a graduate of Miami University and a member of Phi Delta Kappa sorority. Mr. Hardin was a member of Accacia fraternity while in college and is principal of the high school at Milford, Ohio.

Miss Ruth Huntington, who completed her junior year at Ohio State in June, a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, and a leader in Stroller dramatics, and William Arthur Carlile of Columbus, who attended Michigan and Ohio State Universities, were married in Columbus early in October. Mr. Carlile is secretary of the W. S. Carlile Company and an active member of the North Side Chamber of Commerce. He is a Sigma Chi.

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Aden Rudolph Keizer, student at Ohio State from 1908 to '10, was married to Miss Flossie Cecilia Journell at her home near Eris, Ohio, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Keizer live in London, Ohio, where he is principal in the schools.

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Clare A. J. Richards, C.E. '09, and Miss Hildred Marie Arlin were united in marriage at Dayton September 1. Mr. Richards is assistant bridge inspector for the Pennsylvania Lines West, with headquarters at Pittsburgh. They have made their home at Bellevue, Pa.

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Harry B. Fenton, who completed his junior year in civil engineering at Ohio State, and Miss Anna Elizabeth Beck of Columbus, were secretly married in Covington, Kentucky, June 24. They live in Columbus.

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An event of early fall was the marriage of Miss Vesta Stephens a former student at the University and a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, and Dr. Eugene Cecil Beem of Moundsville, West Virginia. Dr. Beem was graduated from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and the medical department of the University of Pittsburgh. He is a member of the Phi Delta Phi.

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Miss Mary May, A. '08-'09, and Fred R. Eckley, E. '08, of Toledo, were married in Columbus, October 8. Mrs. Eckley is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Her sister, Miss Ada May, was maid of honor.

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News comes of the wedding of Lloyd Wilkins Frost, E. '09-'10, and Miss Anna Denelsbeck, which took place recently in Newark.

R. B. Stoltz, Ag. '12, is another one of the senior class to become a benedict. In the month of roses he was married to Miss Marie Casel, at Covington, Ohio, his old home. They are living in Columbus, Ohio, where Stoltz is an instructor in dairying at the University. In his senior year he was a member of the board of overseers of Ohio Union.

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Ernest Bradford, '92, and Mrs. Martha G. Brundage were married September 30, at the home of the bride's sister, at Xenia, Ohio. Mrs. Bradford (Miss Glotfelter) attended Ohio State in '92-3. They will live in Cristobal, Panama, where Mr. Bradford in chief chemist for the canal commission.

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October 23 is announced as the date of the wedding of Millard Francis Gibson, jr., E. '09, and Miss Helen Crippen of Athens. Gibson is general factory superintendent of the National Fire Proofing Company of Columbus. Gibbie is a member of Beta Theta Pi, a star fullback, a warbler in the Glee club, an amateur actor, the originator of the Moving Finger in the *Lantern* and a dozen things the editor has forgotten. While in school he was the best-known man on the campus.

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In the second week of October occurred the wedding of Miss Osee Catherine Rowland of Columbus, to Henry Babbitt Albright, son of Charles E. Albright, Ag. '02-'04, of the Columbus schools. Mr. Albright is American vice consul at Karlsbad, Austria.

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November 20, has been selected by Miss Gladys Evelyn Woodbury as the date for her marriage to Clyde C. Smith, E. '11, of Groveport, Ohio. The couple will live in St. Louis where Mr. Smith holds a position with the United States Construction Company.

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The marriage of Miss Elsie Leue of Cincinnati, and George Rinehart of Eaton, Ohio, took place in Cincinnati, September 30. Both were graduated from the University last June and are taking graduate work in sociology this winter at University of Michigan.

The wedding of Gladys Walters and DeWeese Fuller, former student of Urbana, was solemnized October 10. Mrs. Fuller is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma and Mr. Fuller of Beta Theta Pi.

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The wedding of Mildred A. Cromley, A. '11, and Edward S. Smith of Warren, Ohio, was solemnized in Warren, October 1. She has been in the employ of the Ohio Women's Suffrage Association.

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Miss Helen Leneta Reddish and William E. Betts, E. '09, of Dayton, were married recently in Sidney, Ohio. Mr. Betts is managing editor of the *Dayton Evening Herald*, while his wife is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University.

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Miss Alma Corbin, A. '09, and Jay M. Norris, A. '02-'03, were married recently in Columbus. Norris is a fire insurance adjuster with headquarters in Columbus.

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Fred B. Grosvenor, A. '09, a graduate of University of Michigan in the medical department, '11, is a practicing physician at Cincinnati, Ohio. Recently he was married to Miss Olive Swickard, Ed. '11, of Columbus, Ohio. Their home is 501 East Third Street.

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Earl Millious, who attended State 1906-09 and made a record for himself as a speedy track man, and Miss Hazel Tingle of Columbus were married July 27 at Fremont, Ohio. Mr. Millious is a member of Alpha Sigma Phi. He and his wife are at home at 471 South Ohio Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

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F. A. Hills, E. '07, is the latest member of the Ohio State University graduates to take unto himself a wife. Mr. and Mrs. Hills will be at home after November 1, at 868 Faile Street, New York City.

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The marriage of Miss Dorothy Vail, A. '12, and Roy Dwight James of Cleveland, took place October 16 in Columbus. Miss Vail is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. Mr. James is on the advertising staff of the *Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

Two Ohio State University students, Miss Helen Mills, B.Ph. '02, of Columbus and Charles H. Clark, freshman last year, were united in marriage recently in Columbus. Mrs. Clark is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mills of 78 West Tenth Avenue. Mrs. Clark has been teaching in the high school at Lorain, Ohio. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta. Mr. Clark is a Sigma Chi.

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Elmer J. Nealon, A. '12, and Miss Miriam Rodenfels of Columbus were united in marriage in Columbus recently. Mr. Nealon is employed as chemist at the municipal water purification works.

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One of the beautiful weddings of the fall was that of Rev. Allen Percy Bissell, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Columbus, Ohio, and Miss Virginia Brady Wiltberger, enrolled in Arts at the University in 1908, solemnized at the church. Miss Flora Bleile, Arts '08-'10, was maid of honor.

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The wedding of Prof. Henry R. Spencer, of the department of political science, and Miss Cornelia Powell, A. '02, was an event of interest in Columbus, October 15. They will spend a year in Europe on leave of absence from the University.

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Miss Alice Tway, A. '12, of Washington C. H., became the bride of James Parrett of the same city recently. The wedding marked the union of two well-known Fayette county families. Mr. Parrett is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan.

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Many college friends were present at the wedding of two Ohio State graduates, Miss Mary Virginia Makepeace, A. '09, until her marriage head of domestic science department at Robinson Seminary, Exeter, N. H., and Charles Edwin Snyder, Ag. '09, editor of the *National Stockman* of Pittsburgh, which took place in August. Miss Lillian Makepeace, Ag. '10, was maid of honor. Mrs. Snyder is a daughter of George B. Makepeace, A. '82, of near Hilliards, Ohio.

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John W. Ashbrook, L. '11, and Miss Garnet Williams of Columbus were married July 22.

The wedding of Gilbert L. Fuller, former editor of the *Lantern* and a student at Ohio State '02-'06, and Miss Beatrice Hale Hallwood of Columbus, was solemnized in St. Paul's Episcopal church early in October.

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The wedding of Miss Wanda Irene Bates and Henry F. Romaine, jr., a former student of the University, was solemnized in Columbus recently. Mr. Romaine is chief advising engineer for the Canadian Stewart Construction Co., of Fort Williams and Port Arthur.

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October 29 is the date announced for the wedding of Miss Irene Lewis of Columbus, to Arthur King, Cer.Eng. '09, of Richlands, Va. Mr. King is superintendent of the Richlands Brick Co.

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Forest F. Frazier, who attended the University 1907-'10, and Miss Mabelle E. Warren were recently married in Columbus. Mr. Frazier is head of the department of civil engineering in Manhattan University at Manhattan, Kansas.

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Melvin C. Light, L. '11, of the firm of Light & Chappell, an enthusiastic booster of the glee club, both in and out of school, and Miss Cleo Laurel O'Harrow were married recently in Lima, Ohio. Mr. Light is a prosperous attorney.

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Miss Marguerite Emma Fair, A.-Ed. '10, and George Hughes Kauffman, A. '10, were married in Columbus, October 9. Kauffman is the son of Professor and Mrs. George B. Kauffman of Ohio State University and is associated with his father in the wholesale drug business in Columbus.

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October 15 marked the date for the wedding of Miss Lillian Fisher of Ridefield Park and Andrew J. Burns who was enrolled at the University in '09-'10. Miss Fisher attended St. Mary's of the Springs Academy.

ENGAGEMENTS

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The wedding of Miss Clara May Powell, of Columbus, Ohio, and Leonard Frederick Eicher, enrolled at State '04-'08, will be solemnized early in November. For two years past Mr. Eicher has been employed in the Columbus offices of the Kingan Provision Co. The bride to be is a great grand-niece of John Quincy Adams, sixth president of United States.

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Announcement comes of the approaching marriage of Miss Grace Alice Barrington, a senior this year, and George Elliott Davis of Cleveland, the event to take place October 29. Miss Barrington is the daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Alfred R. Barrington of Columbus, and is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. Mr. Davis is superintendent of mines at Brownsville, Pa., and is a graduate of Ohio State, E. '11.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Mabel Louise Moore, A. '09-'10, and Lawrence R. Taft, Grad.A. '11. The wedding is to take place in the spring. Miss Moore is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Evelina McCune to Dwight Howard, E. '01-'02, A. '04-'05, now of Columbus. Howard is an old football end.

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The engagement of Dr. Lucius A. Wing, A. '03, practicing physician in New York City, to Miss Amy Everett of New York City, has been announced. Both are natives of Ohio and will probably be married at Newark, Ohio, the former home of his fiancee.

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The engagement of Miss Marjory Collins to Edward Kibler, A. '09, of Newark, has been announced. Mr. Kibler is a practicing attorney, a member of Phi Kappa Psi.

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Roy C. King, who took a post-graduate last year at Ohio State, will be married next winter to Miss Laurel DeVol of Granville, Ohio. Mr. King is instructor in agriculture in the Polytechnic Institute at Billings, Montana.

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The wedding of Miss Marie Louise Schneider, A. '10, and Charles H. Niermyer, jr., was solemnized October 2, in Columbus. Mr. Niermyer is connected with the Columbus Coal and Lime Company.

NECROLOGY

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Blood poisoning developed from a carbuncle caused the death of Miss Nellie Keith, stenographer for Wilbur E. Mann, university editor, recently. Miss Keith was ill only a week.

H. Curtis Moore, A. '97, L. '01, a teacher in mathematics and science in Central and South high school in Columbus, before practicing law, died at the home of his father recently in Fayette county of typhoid fever. He was spending his vacation there when stricken. Besides his legal work, Mr. Moore was secretary of the Southard Novelty Co. and a director of the Central Ohio Building and Loan Co.

News comes of the death of Dr. J. Williston Wright—father of Mrs. Halbert E. Payne—who died last month after a long illness, brought about by overwork. For a number of years, Dr. Wright was a professor of surgery in the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, and also in the College of the City of New York, University of Vermont and other institutions. He had a nation-wide reputation.

After a long struggle for health, Rev. Alexander Milne, M.A. '98, former pastor of Plymouth Congregational church died September 22, at Grant Hospital, Columbus. Rev. Mr. Milne came to Columbus upon his graduating from Yale and held the pastorate at Plymouth Church for ten years. He held various charges and in 1899 was called to Pilgrim Church, Duluth and was pastor there until failing health caused his resignation last January. He went first to Florida in hopes of recovery and then to North Carolina.

BIRTHS

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A little girl, Grace Wells, born September 13, is the newest member of the household of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reeder of Columbus. Reeder was graduated in Arts, '06, and is assistant reference librarian at the University. Mrs. Reeder (Lydia Morrow) was a member of the class of '07.

Births

"Fine eight-pound boy with blue eyes," writes Russell I. Hare, '05, apropos of a visit of the mysterious bird to his home August 28. Hare is a lawyer with a shingle out at 31 Nassau Street, New York, where he is already hewing a place for himself. He may change the name of the firm some day, but of course the youngster must be consulted first. His name is Stanley Bright Hare.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS

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V. A. Place, Ag. '12, is an instructor in animal husbandry at University of Illinois this year.

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V. C. Smith, Ag. '12, is instructor in agriculture in the high school at La Salle, Ill.

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Carroll Mount, M. E. '10, is a draftsman at the Jeffrey Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio.

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Erastus G. Lloyd, L. '01, one-time famous football star at Ohio State and end on the team that held Michigan to a scoreless game in 1900, is Democratic nominee for State senator. One of the Democratic papers writes of him, "Lloyd is a man of ability and well-liked, and will add strength to the Democratic ticket." Former collegemates of his at Otterbein and at Ohio State knew him better as Rastus.

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R. C. Collison, Ag. '09, is assistant in soil investigations at the New York Agricultural Experiment Station, Geneva, N. Y.

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William F. Allgire, Ed. '12, is superintendent of schools at Centerburg, Ohio. Mr. Allgire holds the degrees of B.S. in '84 and B.A. in '85 from Valparaiso Normal University.

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Howard E. Critchfield, L. '08, a Columbus attorney, spent two weeks' vacation in August at Rye Beach, Ohio.

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R. J. Carver, V. '05, is city food inspector for the board of health department at Columbus, Ohio. Red was an old halfback on State's football squad.

Mrs. George R. Rose, (Lilian S. Huffman,) B.Ph. '99, lives at 95 West Tenth Avenue, Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Rose, who was at one time employed at the University, is now engaged in the plumbing business. He is a member of the firm of Rose & Cox.

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William T. McCarty, V. '09, a former track coach, better known as Mac, is city meat inspector in Boston, Mass.

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Homer C. Howard, noted quarterback in football circles at Ohio State in '96, spent the month of August at Ruggles Beach, Ohio. Howard is manager of the casualty department of the Columbus office of the Travelers Insurance Co.

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F. D. Halsey, V.'11, is veterinary inspector at East St. Louis, Mo.

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Mrs. Fanny Howard Mitchell, of Charleston, Ill., spent the summer months with her parents at Columbus, Ohio. Mrs. Mitchell was graduated in Arts, '96.

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E. J. Halsema, E. '07, connected with important work for the government in the Philippine Islands, returned to the States in July for a short visit with his parents at New Bremen, Ohio. He sailed October 1 for the Islands.

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Newton W. Gilbert, who ranks with the patriarchs of the early eighties, until October 1 was acting governor of the Philippines. His official position is that of vice-governor.

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L. C. Gatewood, A. '07, who took his master's degree at State in '09 and the degree of M.D. '11, from Rush Medical College, was a visitor to the University in September. In the spring there appeared in the Journal of Infectious Diseases an article on "Concentration of Anti-Strepto-Coccic Serum," which Mr. Gatewood worked out in collaboration with Professor Heineman of the University of Chicago. This work was accomplished in a course of experimental production of anti-rheumatic serum at the Sprague Memorial Institute of Chicago. L. C. is a physician at the Presbyterian Hospital. He reports that Chicago Ohio State men are anxiously awaiting the entrance of the University into the Western Conference.

Edgar M. Allen, A. '07, formerly of Chicago, is now back at the University, where he is an instructor in the department of physiology.

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E. J. Witzeman, Ph.D. '12, is located in Chicago, where he is pursuing medical research work at Sprague Memorial Institute.

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F. L. Simmons, who attended the University not long ago, is reported to be holding the position of commandant at Racine College, Racine, Wis.

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C. E. Beckwith, another State man who recently attended the University, is located at Calgary, Canada.

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W. J. Boesel, A. '07, who hails from New Bremen, is now in California with the Ohio Crude Oil Company.

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Joseph N. Iancu, E. '05, is living in Wilkinsburg, Pa. He is in the employ of the W. E. & M. Company.

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Daqueen Tao, A. '10, who was reported to have been killed during the revolution in China, is said to be among the living at Woo Chang, in South China, where he is in business with his father.

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Benjamin S. Silver, A. '10, for some months past located in Kansas City with the Procter-Gamble Company, has again been transferred to the Cincinnati office. He is an industrial chemist.

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John F. Seidel, LL.B. '10, is an attorney at Columbus, Ohio.

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John W. Graham, C.E. '07, is with the bureau of public works at Manila, P. I.

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C. F. Eckman, Ag. '09, connected with the United States bureau of soils, is traveling through the west and south-west analyzing soils for the government.

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Ernest F. Shade, A. '10, teacher in the Medina schools last year, is now in the Akron high school.

Emily Hollister, A. '10, of Galion, Ohio, is teaching in the Los Angeles schools. During the past summer Miss Hollister attended Rush Medical College.

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W. E. Gatewood, A. '11, who attended Rush Medical College during the past summer, is an instructor in the department of bacteriology at Ohio State. This year Mr. Gatewood will finish his work on a master's degree.

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Hortense B. McIlroy, A. '07, (Hortense Brown), is living at Irwin, Ohio. Mrs. McIlroy is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma and Mr. McIlroy, a former student of the University, is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

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Emmett P. Barnhart, D.V.M. '07, is a government veterinary inspector located at Cleveland, Ohio.

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Frank A. Hamilton, D.V.M. '95, is a veterinary surgeon at DuBois, Pa.

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Horace P. Smith, B.Sc. '86, is radiologist at the Good Samaritan Hospital of Zanesville, Ohio.

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Oliver L. Fassig, B.Sc. '92, until recently located with the United States Weather Bureau at San Juan, P. R., is now connected with the same department with headquarters at Baltimore, Md.

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Albert L. Burns, M.A. '11, is instructor at Kansas University, Manhattan, Kan.

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Robert Harsh, E. '11, is connected with the Culver Military Institute at Culver, Indiana.

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Jessie M. Brown, A. '11, a Columbus girl, is director of art at Blue Mountain College, Blue Mountain, Miss.

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Glenn B. Southward, E. '08, formerly of Worthington, Ohio, is located at Big Stone Gap, Va., where is division for the Stonega Coal and Coke Co. Previous to this time he was chief engineer for a coal company in Kentucky. Southward is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

J. E. Hildt, Ex. '98 C. E., has repented, not in sack cloth and ashes, but repented just the same. He says that he has not kept in touch with Ohio State affairs since leaving school but intends to do so in the future. He is one of the chief organizers of the new Kansas City Association and promises to give his time to its success. Mr. Hildt is one of the agents of the Canadian Pacific Irrigation Colonization Company with headquarters in Kansas City, Mo. Rudolph Hirsch, formerly of the University Faculty here, is also giving his attention to the organization of the Kansas City Association.

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"I am down here away back in the jungles taking up new lands for The United Fruit Company, also doing railroad and drainage work," writes John Neil Reynolds, Ex. '05, a Columbus man, now located at Bocas del Toro, Panama.

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Robert Conard, who attended the University from '95-'97, is a practicing physician at Blanchester, Ohio. In 1905 he received his M.D. from University of Cincinnati.

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Lewis L. Heller, Ag. '12, is now junior animal husbandryman in the sheep and goat investigations in the department of agriculture at Washington.

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Simon J. Groose, B.A. '11, B.Sc.Edu. '11, formerly assistant secretary of the Association, is now in Cincinnati where he is teaching in the night high school, with prospects of entering the service of the Union Central Life Insurance Company. He says he is anticipating a pleasant visit to the campus and gridiron this fall.

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L. B. McCarty, A. '10, M.A. '12, a fellow in the University last year in the department of English, has gone to University of Kansas at Lawrence as instructor in English. While at Ohio State McCarty signalized himself on the gridiron. His home is in Columbus.

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Dr. C. W. McClure, A. '06, M.D. '10, until recently practicing physician in Columbus, has gone to Iowa City, Iowa, to become lecturer in clinical microscopy in the medical department of University of Iowa. He spent the greater part of the summer at Harvard Medical College.

Clarence D. Laylin, A. '04, L. '06, is assistant counsel in the office of the Attorney General of Ohio. Incidentally he finds time to interest himself in the work of the Ohio State athletic board. On Sunday he may be found in the King Avenue Methodist Episcopal Sunday School, where he is superintendent. Mr. and Mrs. Laylin have two children, a boy and a girl.

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H. E. Peters, L. '07, is a Democratic candidate for prosecuting attorney of Franklin county. He is a Columbus attorney.

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Jesse William Nesbitt, a student in the engineering department in 1906, and Miss Bessie Chalfant of Pittsburgh, were married October 2. Miss Ethel Bown, A. '09, was one of the bride's attendants and George Nesbitt, E. '12, of Chicago, was best-man. Mr. and Mrs. Nesbitt live in Columbus.

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Miss Blanche Watkins, A. '12, is teaching English and Latin in the high school in New Vienna, Ohio. Her home is in Columbus.

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Miss Anna Quinby, L. '09, a practicing attorney of Columbus, and president of the Women's Tax Payers' League, is an active advocate of equal suffrage. She has utilized an automobile in her tours of the state in the interests of votes for women.

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Of the 183 who took Ohio State medical tests recently, the following State men passed: E. F. McCampbell, Ex. '04, Columbus, Charles J. Hjelm, P. '07, of Mason, Ohio; W. H. Mytinger, A. '07, who has gone as an interne to Gouvernen's Hospital, New York City; P. E. Roscoe, P. '06, of Cleveland; and Maurice Osborne, Ex. '07, of Columbus.

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B. W. Anspon, B.Sc. '10, formerly assistant professor of horticulture at the Mississippi Agricultural College and Experiment Station, is now on the faculty of the Maryland Agricultural College, College Park, Md.

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Grace F. Smiley, Ed. '09, who recently moved from Columbus to Delaware, Ohio, is teaching in the domestic science department, Colorado Agricultural College, at Ft. Collins, Colorado.

This is not an advertisement, only a word of tribute cast in the direction of the Safe-Cabinet Company of Marietta, Ohio, which owes its success to two Ohio State men, Ralph H. Dick, Ex. '10, the secretary of the company, and Fred A. Caskey, L. '08, assistant to the sales manager. During the first week of September, these energetic business men entertained their salesmen, visitors and sceptics-from-Missouri, with a fire-testing exhibition, proving that their cabinet was absolutely flame-proof, and indestructible. Paper money, pamphlets and inflammable material were placed in the cabinet and hot fires started blazing around the steel sides. After twenty minutes the cabinet was opened and the contents found uninjured. Fire Chief Croker of New York, who was one of the guests at the trial, was especially enthusiastic.

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J. F. Burns, E. '91, roadmaster of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, with headquarters at Elizabethtown, Ky., writes that a mistake was made in the July *Monthly* bearing upon the date of his father's death. This should be May 4, 1911, instead of January 10, 1912.

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New York has no terrors for Corinne Orr, A. '11, who after a year of teaching at Wellsville, Ohio, has gone to Columbia University to take a master's degree, specializing in English. She says there are 500 girls at Whittier Hall, where she is living, and that they have come from Norway, Germany, Scotland, New Zealand, and from every state in the Union. The subway reminds her of a nickel-in-a-slot machine and apartment houses are an abomination. She says she is glad she is a small-towner.

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From the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, Stillwater, Oklahoma, comes a note of greeting from Harry R. O'Brien, A. '10, who is instructor in English there. He is associated with N. W. Rockey, A. '05, formerly of Ohio Wesleyan.

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James E. McClintock, Ag. '06, was a recent visitor at the University while on his way home for a short vacation. He is the editor of the Agricultural department of the International Correspondence School. "Mac" enjoyed seeing old familiar scenes, but said that he felt lost since he knew so few men.

Miss Nelle Runyan, Ex.Arch., '11, is located in Plymouth, Ohio, where she is teaching in the high school.

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Martha Jones, Arts '06, has journeyed to faraway Spokane, Washington, to teach the young idea. In a letter home she says, "This western spirit is hard on lone strangers. There are 1100 students in this building and I am lost in the shuffle."

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Friends of Mima Weaver, A. '03, of Dayton, Ohio, formerly a teacher there, will be glad to know that she is regaining her health at Red Crags, Manitou, Colorado, following a serious attack of pneumonia. She will remain there a year.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

Fleming H. Crew, L. '07, formerly of Columbus, Ohio, is acting attorney general of Porto Rico. Mr. Crew expects to return in November to Cleveland and take up the law practice of his father, the late Judge W. B. Crew.

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P. Merrill Griffith, who attended Ohio State in '91-'93, is American consul at Pernambuco, Brazil. He is an Ohio man and in 1897 was graduated with a Ph.B. from the University of Chicago. In the same city another energetic alumnus, J. H. Warner, A. '04, who was the secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association when he was at college and is now international Young Men's Christian Association secretary at Pernambuco.

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William J. Sackriede, C.E. '11, recently accepted a position as draftsman with the Union Pacific railroad. His adddress is 2543 Capitol Avenue, Omaha, Neb.

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Charles H. McDaniel, Chester S. Gordon, and Orval H. Menke, all of whom received degrees this year of M.E. in E.E., are telephone engineers in Kansas City, Mo.

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Chalmers W. DePue, B.Sc., '09, formerly secretary of the Boston Ohio State club, has a new address. It is 48 Kent Street, Suite 1, Brookline, Mass. He is connected with Olmsted Brothers, architects.

Fred G. Smith, A. '07, acting head of the United States Food Inspection Laboratories at St. Paul, Minn., in a letter in the latter part of August says, "I am submitting the enclosed subscription form with check. It is to be hoped that Hugh Fullerton can be induced to take up a publicity campaign for he is in a position to do more than any one else I know of in athletic circles." The idea as expressed in his letter is one which is in the minds of the Twin City men and is approved by many Chicago men. They all feel that when Ohio State actually enters the Conference a good publicity man will be an asset, and that Fullerton is the choice.

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F. W. Dickey, A. '05, who spent the summer touring Europe, made a brief visit at his parents' home in Columbus preparatory to beginning his duties as instructor at Western Reserve University. He reports having met with C. L. E. Moore, A. '01, while traveling in Switzerland. Mr. Moore is professor of mathematics at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

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D. E. Sayers, E. '05, better known as Del and a baseball pitcher of note in University circles, is chief engineer of the Stonega Coal & Coke Co., at Big Stone Gap, Virginia. Mrs. Sayers was formerly Miss Lulu Thompson, Ag. '05. They have two children.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

Rufino Garcia, who was enrolled at the University in '07, is in the office of district engineer of San Fernando, Philippine Islands. Mr. Garcia was born in the Philippines, and advises us that he is "still single." He has just joined the Association.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

Hayes Darby, E. '12, is located at Newark, N. J. with the Western Electric Co. Before leaving his native state he acquired a wife in the latter part of June. Mrs. Darby was Miss Juanita Wagner of Worthington, Ohio.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

William B. Fields, C.E. '11, is an architect at Dayton, Ohio. His wife, who was Miss Margie Fulkman, a State girl, writes that her occupation consists of "being her husband's cook." William B. is to be congratulated.

Charles A. Dean, E. '11, with the Norton Company of Worcester, spent several days of his vacation in helping to steer a couple of Worcester freshmen in the ceramics course. He reports that the five State men at the Norton Company adopt the unit rule when acting on anything affecting the interests of Ohio State.

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C. B. Perkins, V. '12, was unfortunate enough to be taken seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism about commencement time and was forced to spend several weeks in the hospital. His health has greatly improved and he has been able to take up his veterinary practice at Centerburg, Ohio.

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C. G. Fieldner, Ag. '12, brother to A. C. Fieldner, E. '06, the live president of the Pittsburg Ohio State organization, is located at Ney, Ohio, his home, where he is engaged in farming and managing a lumber business.

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George H. Harvey, E. '10, connected with the Canadian Niagara Power Co., was a visitor at the University recently. He is greatly interested in the organization of Ohio State men in western New York.

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H. K. Kistler, C.E. '07, is employed by the bureau of public works, Philippine Islands. He is a member of the Ohio State University Association.

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John W. Young, A. '99, located at Hanover, N. H., was a campus visitor during the past summer. He is enthusiastic over the work of the Association.

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Charles N. Mooney, B.Sc. '00, attended the reunion of Ohio State agricultural men at the State Fair on August 28.

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Paul M. Giesy, M.A. '12, and B.Sc. in Chemical Engineering, '12, is a chemist in Washington, D. C.

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E. J. Kitchen, Ag. '08, is farming in Clark County near Springfield, Ohio.

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Harry Evenson, V. '09, is located in the Philippines at Zamboanga.

H. P. Miller, D.V.M. '97, lecturer for Ohio state board of agriculture was in attendance at the meeting of Ohio State men at the state fair; also F. W. Sweet, '98, and C. C. McCoy, '88. Mr. Sweet is a buttermaker near Akron and Mr. McCoy a farmer and stockman of Washington C. H.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

John F. Cunningham, B.Sc. '97, managing editor of the *Ohio Farmer* and a member of the Board of Visitors of Ohio State University, acted as chairman of the Ohio State reunion on the state fair grounds.

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George C. Greener, Cer. E. '05, secretary of the Boston Ohio State club, was a visitor at the alumni office in September while spending a short vacation at his home in Columbus. The Boston men intend to do their part in securing the help of newspapers in the distribution of news about the University.

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Lorin Thompson, L. Cert., '12, son of Dr. W. O. Thompson, is located in Chicago, Ill., in employ of Armour and Company.

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Donald Kirkpatrick, LL.B. '12, who received his B.A. from State in 1910, has entered into partnership with P. E. Laybourne, a former football star, at Springfield, Ohio. During his senior year Kirk was manager of Ohio Union and general secretary of the University Young Men's Christian Association.

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One of the lost has been found. His name is C. B. Rush, C.E. '08, who writes that he is working on location surveys for the Oregon Short Line, with headquarters at Salt Lake City. His address is Council, Idaho.

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Chicago and congenial work have combined to interest Glenn G. Hayes, business manager of the 1912 *Agricultural Student*. He was graduated from the Agriculture College last year and is at present on the staff of the Farm Press, Chicago, in the heart of a vast agricultural district. His Chicago address is 5632 Washington avenue.

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Montgomery E. Pike, LL.B. '12, who received his B.A. in 1908 from Iowa State University, has begun the practice of law in Columbus, Ohio.

Grandville R. Jones, C.E. '04, S. B., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, '07, is now professor of sanitary engineering in the University of Kansas and engineer of the state board of health, Lawrence, Kansas.

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Ohio State grads at Ames, Iowa, are making plans for the organization of an Ohio State association. W. E. Ruth, Ag. '11, M.S.C. '12, has taken the matter in charge and reports progress. Ruth is employed in the chemical section of the Agricultural Experiment Station of Iowa State College.

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Alaska has no terrors for Victor N. Dupuy, E. '07, who has just completed the season along the Alaska peninsula in charge of the examination of all surveys for rich mineral claims in the district. He is now working up his reports, and casts a longing glance in the direction of the Ohio State campus.

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Happy Postle—beg pardon, H. M. Postle of Yucca, Ariz.,—is wrestling with the big task of superintending the construction and installation of 150 ton concentrating mill for the Arizona Southwestern Copper Company. He says that he will be on the job until the first of the year; then westward ho.

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E. W. Mendenhall, who attended the agricultural department in 1894-'97, L., '97-'98, and is now a nursery orchard inspector for the Ohio State board of agriculture, has been nominated for membership in the American Forestry Association, Washington, D. C. The association is devoted to forestry and general conservation to the fighting of tree diseases, and the protection of forests from fires and devastation.

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E. V. Griswold, who was enrolled in Arts, '98, and Law, '05, is now located at 305 Burke Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

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Albert Heitman, E. '09, has entered a new field of work in New York City, where he is doing research work in electricity. Mr. Heitman was formerly a member of Ohio State University faculty. Accompanied by his wife he spent the summer traveling in Europe.

Here is a good story related by Hermann Gamper, E. '99, now superintendent of the electric light plant in Erie, Pa., told in the course of a discussion on electrical storms. "An Italian had stopped at the municipal light plant one afternoon and asked for work in unloading some coal there. We gave him the work there, and towards evening a severe electrical storm came up and when it started raining he stepped inside the plant. All of a sudden there was a report like a heavy explosion, caused by lightning running into the plant on the wires and blowing out one of the gigantic fuses. At intervals of several minutes this was repeated several times, until the place seemed like the fiercest part of a battlefield. The Italian leaped with terror at what was going on and with one quick look backward, turned and rushed out of the building into the storm. He kept on running and the last I saw of him he disappeared across the river bridge and out toward the west of the city. I expected him back the next day, but he never showed up after that."

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Christopher Columbus, official discoverer of America, has been honored, or at least C. W. High, his proxy, who attended the University '92-'93, has received all the glory that is coming to him. Mr. High is a civil engineer, but that did not prevent him from assuming the guise of Father Columbus at the recent pageant held in connection with the Columbus centennial. He made a distinguished old gentleman, and at times stole applause from Indian princesses, and braves, soldiers, and sailors.

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Some of you scouts who go to the theater must have recognized J. Grant Mitchell, Ex.L. '97, who is now playing the part of Blackie Daw in "Get-Rich-Quick-Wallingford," and playing it with rare good humor and fidelity. He is a Yale graduate and has his New York headquarters at the Lambs' Club. Will David, Ex.L. '97, had the pleasure of seeing Mitchell upon the stage in a New York theater. Mitchell and Karl T. Webber are also old comrades.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

Hayes Darby, E. '12, is located at Newark, N. J., with the Western Electric Company. He was married in the latter part of June to Miss Jaunita Wagner of Worthington, Ohio.

George W. Dun, A. '84, publisher of the *Toledo Times*, has been appointed by Governor Harmon member of the Perry Victory centennial commission. Mr. Dun is a loyal Ohio State man, and not only shows individual enthusiasm in the progress of the University, but has sent his son and daughter to Ohio State to imbibe some of the same spirit.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

Mrs. Fred A. Caskey, (Florence Hudgel), member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, is living in Marietta, Ohio, where Mr. Caskey is connected with the Safe-Cabinet Company. She was graduated in Arts, '11. Her husband is a law man of the class of '08, and belongs to Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

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Mrs. Herbert Scott (Clara Luce), A. '97, is making a visit in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, South America, and has written some interesting observations of life there to Columbus friends.

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Dr. D. N. Sandoe, who is in the pharmacy course in '97 and '98, is a practicing physician in Columbus and a football enthusiast.

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Ray Evans, A. '10, a former cartoonist on the Dayton Daily News, has gone to Baltimore, Md., to swing the pencil for the *Baltimore American*. Many of Mr. Evans' cartoons on the political situation have been extensively copied. While in school his caricatures won wide comment.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

Lewis Overturf, E. '12, formerly of Springfield, Ohio, sends the following information to the Ohio State University Association, "I am now instructor at University of Pennsylvania in the department of mechanical engineering. I hope soon to be a member of the alumni association of the best school in the country and wish the best of luck to the organization."

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Byron B. Ralston, who was at State in '07-'08, is enrolled in the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md.

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Mary L. Harlan, A. '11, of Columbus, Ohio, is teaching in the schools at Canal Winchester, Ohio. Her sister, Helen, was graduated from the University in Arts last June.

Miss Helen Scott, who was graduated in domestic science last year, is teaching in the Sherman Institute, Riverside, Cal. This is the largest school for Indian girls in the country and last year had an enrollment of 1800. Miss Scott is a Columbus girl.

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Carl Spangler, A. '12, is a teacher of science in the high school at New Lexington, Ohio.

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Reed H. Game, A. '96, L. '99, practicing attorney of Columbus, Ohio, and one of the moving spirits in the undergraduate body in his college days, has for some weeks been suffering from a nervous breakdown, and has not yet fully recovered.

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Gordon Davies, A. '09, is a law student at the University of Michigan.

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C. D. Steiner, E. '12, who was connected with the agricultural extension work last year, has notified the Association of his connection with the Kansas State Agricultural College at Manhattan, Kan. Steiner's genial smile won for him many friends at State.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

William B. Fields, C.E., '11, is an architect at Dayton, Ohio. His wife (Margie Fulkman), a State girl, writes that her occupation consists of "being her husband's cook." William B. is to be congratulated.

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Dean M. Hickson is teaching school at Lancaster, Ohio.

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Paul E. Cowgill, E. '10, has severed his connection with the Weinman Pump Company of Columbus, Ohio, to re-enter the telephone work. His territory at present is in Ohio. Cowgill was president of his class.

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D. Dale Condit, '09, is now assistant geologist with the United States geological survey at Washington, D. C. During the past year Mr. Condit has been in the employ of the geological survey of Ohio, and has spent some of his time in a bulletin to be published shortly. Mr. Condit took postgraduate work at Columbia University, '10-'11.

Karl S. Meuche, E. '10, of the firm of Meuche and Meuche, mining engineers at Houghton, Mich., is enthusiastic about the proposed dormitory plan and writes as follows, "I am mighty glad to hear that the dormitory scheme is now an assured success. To my way of thinking the life in a dormitory will be the ideal college life. It will likewise be the means of fostering a strong feeling of spirit and arousing the enthusiasm of all students. In other words, it will centralize college life."

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Roy Duff, A. '12, of Columbus, Ohio, has gone to Chicago where he will enter the employ of a well-known firm of accountants.

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Francis H. Obetz, P. '96, is a practicing physician at Columbus, Ohio. He is an enthusiastic football rooter, and says we'll beat Michigan.

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O. D. Beardsley, A. '98, who has been ill for some time, reports himself convalescent. Mr. Beardsley is a manufacturer in Chicago.

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Thomas J. Hunsicker, A. '11, is a teacher in the schools at Pekin, Ill.

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L. R. Wells, E. '12, is located with the Fostoria Glass Works. Prep was assistant football coach under Harry Vaughn and football captain during the term of Howard Jones. Wells says "Am in the midst of a Case colony here, hence have troubles of my own, but am still pulling for State." He is a member of Phi Delta Theta.

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J. G. Keiser, A. '06, is a practising physician at Bryan, Ohio. He received his M.D. in '09 from Cleveland Homeopathic College. Keiser is a member of Delta Tau Delta.

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D. S. Taylor, who was a student at State last year, is now in Detroit, Mich.

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H. C. Briney, A. '07, is connected with an advertising firm in New York City as head of the copy department. His address is 336 E. 166th Street.

H. W. Cheek, L. '04-'06, member of the firm of Cheek Bros., is the new president of the Columbus real estate board, which has done so much to beautify the city through its Flower and Garden club. C. R. Swickard, Ex. '93, is one of the trustees of the board and has done much to add new members to the organization.

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Lawrence W. Fisher, D.V.M. '12, is a veterinarian in the employ of the United States bureau of agriculture, at Manila, P. I.

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William H. Miller, another patriarch who attended the University in the later seventies, is a merchant at Good Hope, Ohio. He writes that he wishes to have the *Monthly* sent to him and wants a dollar's worth to begin with. He also adds, "I did not graduate, neither was I fired."

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O. V. Swinehart, who received his B.A. from Wittenberg in '10, is in charge of the schools at Ashley, Ohio, and is a most consistent advocate for Ohio State. He has attended several summer sessions.

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Amos P. Potts, Cer.E. '12, who early in the summer joined the ranks of benedicts, is assistant professor in the ceramics department of Iowa State College.

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Von Clyde Miller, C.E. '12, is assistant city engineer at Lima, Ohio.

Ψ Ψ Ψ

Mrs. John W. Graham, B.Sc. '08, (Louise Whipps), has returned from the Philippines after a stay of more than a year, and is residing at her former home at 707 Dennison Ave., Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Graham will return to the States and she will accompany him to the Islands on the completion of her visit.

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Amos A. Marting, who attended the University from 1905-09, is located at Ensley, Ala.

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Lewis Neuenschwander, who attended the University some years ago but who left before graduation, is director of manual training in the schools at Wichita, Kan.

Calvin W. Morton, enrolled in the mining department of the University in 1896, is located at Charleston, West Virginia, and is a member of the firm of The Scherr-Morton Company, insurance brokers.

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Mrs. William H. Hannum, (Annabel Mulligan), student at Ohio State in '84 and '85, and her husband, William H. Hannum, are missionaries in India.

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W. H. Abbott, M.E. in E.E. is located in Newark, N. J., with the General Electric Co.

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Max D. Morton, M.A. '05, is teaching in the high school at Pueblo, Colo.

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James P. Hudson, enrolled at Ohio State in '05 and '06, and Mrs. Hudson, also a student at the University, are residing in Brooklyn, N. Y. Mrs. Hudson was formerly Miss Aimee Roof of Columbus, Ohio, and a member of Delta Delta Delta. Mr. Hudson came from Purdue University to Ohio State and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

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Philip Rothrock, Ag. '08, assistant in grain standardization, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is in the Metropolitan Bank Building, New Orleans, La.

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Marshall G. Fenton, Law '11, is now city solicitor at Chillicothe, Ohio. He is a member of Sigma Chi and is widely known to all as Monk.

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Howard B. Cromer, Arts-Law '07, is an attorney-at-law, located at 810 U. B. Bldg., Dayton, Ohio.

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Robert E. McClure, Law '00, a prosperous young attorney, is located at 510 Third Street, Dayton, Ohio.

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Harry A. MacConaughy, Ag. '12, is farming at New Concord, Ohio. Mac holds the degree of B.S. from Muskingum College.

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Howard E. Critchfield, L. '02, is claim attorney for the Travelers Insurance Company. He lives at 1635 Summit Street, Columbus, Ohio.

Halbert E. Payne, president of the alumni association, fairly eats up work. He has a swarm of ideas buzzing in his head most of the time and does not allow the hot weather of Manhattan canyons to interfere with his tireless activities or with his peace of mind. He writes that he spent all summer in New York, without even a breathing spell on Saturday, and that he is as tired as an old shoe. Late in September he sought the heart of the Adirondack mountains for a much-needed rest and slept industriously. A good part of his time has been spent in getting out a new model of the American Typewriter for young people, and in getting ready the typewriter for the market. The typewriter is winning wide popularity.

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Luis Gonsebatt, V. '04, is chief of the municipal veterinarians at Rosario, Argentine, and is also official veterinarian of the Jockey club of that city.

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Benjamin J. Wolf, L. '06, is a practicing attorney in St. Louis. While on his way east to spend his vacation, he was a visitor on the campus. He is greatly interested in seeing the St. Louis men get busy, and is enthused over the work of the Association and its results. For some time he was in partnership, but recently opened offices for himself. Mr. Wolf says that the St. Louis papers printed news of Prof. G. W. Knight's part in the constitutional convention, which was interesting to the State men.

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I. H. Pohlman, M.E. '11, is located in Cleveland, Ohio.

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J. Earl Stuntz, recently a student at State, is chemist with the Pennsylvania Rubber Company at Jeannette, Pa. He was a recent visitor at the alumni office and was especially interested in getting in touch with the Pittsburgh Association.

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Charles E. Gain, B.Ph. '89, is a physician at London, Ohio.

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Robert Finley Buchanan, another patriarch, enrolled in the University from '73-'75, is a dentist at Quincy, Ill., and holds the degrees of M.D. in '77, and D.D.S. in '93. His wife was Miss Fannie D. Bates, of Rochester, N. Y.

W. S. Edmonds, who received his B.A. from the Capital University, is superintendent of schools at Medina, Ohio, a stronghold for Ohio State men. Thirteen students were enrolled in the University last year. Mr. Edmonds has been enrolled in summer school several sessions.

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I. L. Wilkins, A. '10, is a student at McCormick Seminary, Chicago, Ill.

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Berthold W. Anspon, B.Sc. '01, writes as follows: "Please note my change of address from the Mississippi Agricultural College to the Maryland Agricultural College, College Park, Maryland." Mr. Anspon is in charge of the department of floriculture and landscape gardening.

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G. E. Van Sickle, A. '09, M.A. '11, another newly married grad, is teaching in the high school at Bluffton, Ohio.

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Harold J. Kaufman, who was enrolled in Arts, 1909, is a reporter on the *Morning Tribune* at East Liverpool, Ohio.

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Albert L. Burns, M.A. '11, is instructor at the University at Manhattan, Kansas.

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W. E. Ruth, Ag. '11, is assistant chemist at the agriculture experiment station, Ames, Iowa. Together with other Ohio State men, an alumni organization will be effected at Ames.

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Mary F. Short, B.Sc. '79, widow of Sidney H. Short, lives at Penn Yan, N. Y.

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C. W. Schubert, E. '03, is connected with the department of buildings, division of engineering, Cleveland, Ohio. His wife was formerly Miss Marcia Mock, A. '01, sister of George Mock, assistant cashier of the Ohio National Bank, Columbus, Ohio.

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John R. Templin, M.E. '03, is a consulting engineer and lives at Christchurch, New Zealand.

The newly organized Young Business Men's Club of Columbus, brought together for social purposes and for the study of the program looking toward national and civic betterment, includes many Ohio State graduates. Upon the various committees are found the following well-known names: Finance—Dudley Scott, Fred Lazarus, jr., John Kennedy, Howard Monnett; City council—J. Elwood Bulen, Harold Brown, Sherman Randall; Garbage Disposal—George A. Caskey, Hugh Huntington, Alvin C. Bonnet; Charities and Correction—Robert G. Patterson, Fred Carpenter, Robert W. Laylin; Fire Department—Homer Howard, J. G. Belnap, D. A. Donovan, Ward Chaffee; Recreation—J. Edgar Butler; Electric Light Plant—Harry L. Scarlett, Warner P. Simpson; Police Department—Walter Sears, W. B. Cockley, Owen Roderick; Health Department—Ferd P. Schoedinger.

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Charles A. Leach, L. '06, Republican candidate for state senator in Franklin county, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is reported on the road to recovery.

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Earl D. Roebuck, Sp.A. '04, who played recently in Columbus, as a part of the Nazimova Company, is a brother of the late Carl Roebuck, A. '00, L. '02. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

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George E. Davidson, Law '99, is an attorney at East Liverpool, Ohio.

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D. W. Latimer Polley, who recently spent a year at State, lives in Columbus, Ohio. He is in the credit department of The Columbus Ice Company.

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Charles S. Hart, who spent three years at State, is located at Chicago, Ill., and is the western representative of the *Chicago Examiner*. He is a live wire and will make a special effort to see that his paper devotes some space to matters concerning Ohio State. Hart was a recent visitor at the University. He holds a Ph.B. from Yale in 1908. His nephew enrolled as a student at State in the fall.

"One of the most pleasant surprises I have had since graduating from Ohio State University," is the way V. C. Ward, jr., '03, first vice president of the Association, characterizes his appointment as Ohio State representative on the board of directors of the Intercollegiate Conference Athletic Association. Ward says he met the members of the board at a recent luncheon and was pleased to note that Ohio State's invitation for the cross country run on Ohio Field was the only invitation thus far received. It has been referred to the conference for action. It is more than likely that the run will be held in Columbus. Ward promises some interesting information concerning the Chicago boys in the next number of the *Monthly*.

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Ray W. Arms, E.M. '12, is chemist and engineer with the Republic Iron and Steel Co., of Pennsylvania, located at Republic, Pa.

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Stephen S. Jones, E.M. '94, is a mining engineer located at Oatman, Ariz.

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F. B. Nold, E.M. '05, is general superintendent of the Northern Coal Mines of The Republic Iron & Steel Co., located at Republic, Pa.

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Rev. Dr. Herbert Scott, A. '93, superintendent of the Columbus Methodist Episcopal Church, has accepted a call tendered him recently by Trinity church, Portsmouth, Ohio. He is the son of Dr. W. H. Scott, former president of the University.

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Dr. W. W. Richardson, A. '99, formerly of the State Hospital of Norristown, Pa., has purchased the Mercer Sanitarium at Mercer, Pa. He removed to that place October 9.

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R. C. Wright, Ag. '12, holds the position of soil bacteriologist at Riverside, California.

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A. H. Benton, Ag. '12, holds a fellowship at Pennsylvania State College.

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Samuel G. Carson, Law '98, who received his Ph.B. in '97 from Hiram College, lives at Lakewood, Ohio. He is in the railway mail service.

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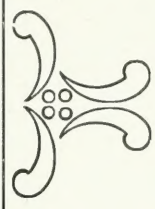

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